



Santa files flight plan

SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE, ILL. — A flight plan, filled out in red and green ink, has been received here from the 2004th Communications Squadron at Sondrestrom Air Base, Greenland.

It's signed "S. Claus, Colonel, United States Air Force retired."

A spokesman at Headquarters of the Air Force communications service speculated Tuesday that Santa Claus, who in the past has neglected filing a flight plan, decided to do so this year because of the continuing increase in air traffic and growing importance of safety rules.

Log entries

Here are some of the entries of the flight plan: Proposed departure time: 2330 hours 11:30 p.m. Christmas Eve from the North Pole.

Aircraft call sign: Santa '68.

Type aircraft: One miniature sleigh.

Speed: Classified.

Route of flight: Santa Claus Lane, to all homes in the world where men of good will abide.

Approach procedure: To the top of the porch, to the top of the wall, down the chimney to the stockings.

Request departure: Via the Chimney finger will be placed aside the nose during this maneuver as per elf regulations 60-16 direct to Santa Claus Lane, North Pole.

Special operations

Remarks: Special operations will be made at all homes indicated on "Good boys and good girls list." The phrase, "Merry Christmas to all and to all a good night" will be transmitted at regular intervals.

People on board: One jolly old elf.

Special equipment: Toy bag, green with unlimited capacity. Flying suit, red trimmed in white. Nine-reinder power propulsion system with "red nosed" modification. Snow landing authorized.

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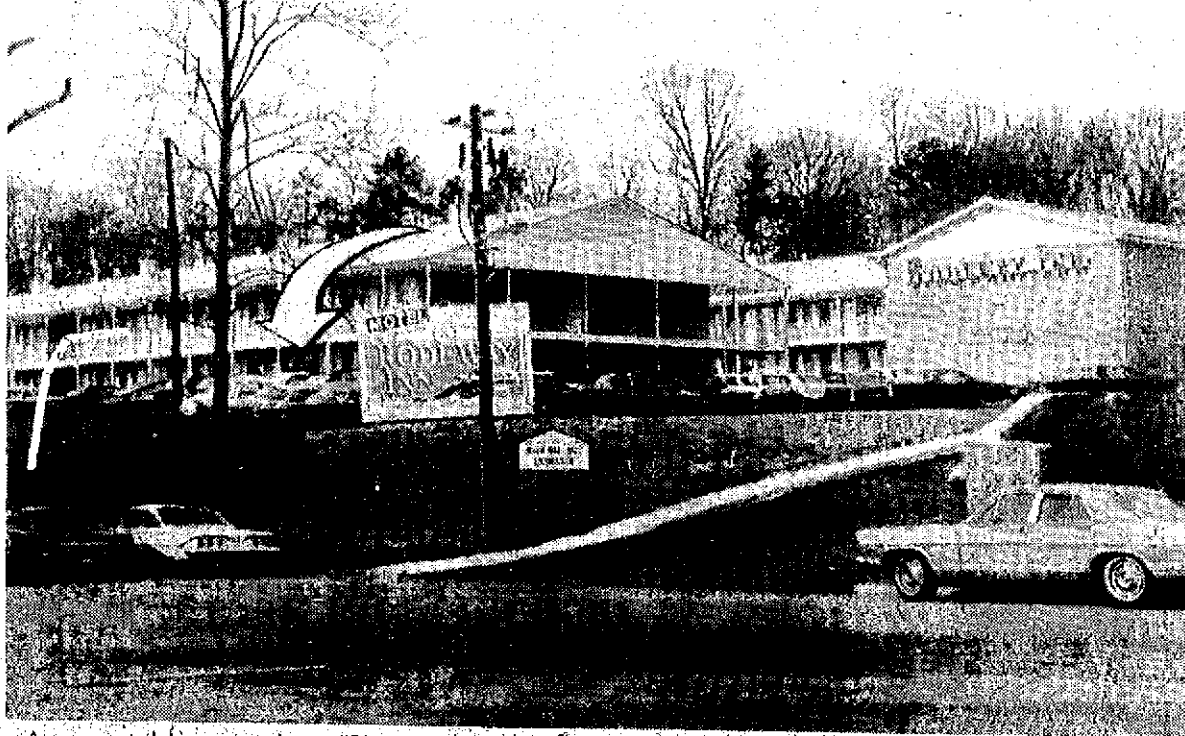
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Czech leader seeks return to liberalism



Arrow marks room where FBI agents and the mother of a 20-year-old girl are waiting for a telephone call from a gunman who abducted the

girl, Barbara Jane Mackle and her mother were staying in the motel in Atlanta, Ga.

(UPI Telephoto)

Father wealthy land developer

Gunman, boy kidnap coed

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — Brunette Barbara Jane Mackle, 20-year-old coed daughter of a wealthy Florida land developer, was kidnapped from a suburban motel Tuesday by a youthful gunman and a boy accomplice about 12, the girl's mother told police.

The mother said she was held at gunpoint, chloroformed and then tied up by the boy. The daughter, an economics student at Emory University, was taken off in her nightgown.

An Emory official said Barbara Jane had been sick about a week and was staying with her mother at the motel near the campus in northeast Atlanta.

The coed is the daughter of Robert F. Mackle, whose family is among the nation's most prominent in real estate development. Mackle, who lives in Coral Gables, Fla., is secretary-treasurer of Deltona Corp., a \$65-million homebuilding business in Miami.

Mackle headed for Atlanta, but police officials and the FBI stopped a secrecy lid on the case after the initial break.

"We've got a big one here," one agent was overheard to say at the motel where Mrs. Mackle said the kidnapping occurred about 4 a.m. The FBI declined comment except to say: "We're investigating the complaint."

Whether a ransom demand had been made was not clear, but police and FBI swarmed about the motel where Mrs. Mackle remained in the two-room suite.

Mrs. Mackle arrived last Wednesday or Thursday

apparently to nurse her daughter who was excused from midterm exams because she had the flu or something similar.

This was Mrs. Mackle's account of the abduction as given to DeKalb County police whose release of the information to news media was protested strongly by the FBI.

It was about 4 a.m. She and Barbara Jane were sitting on the bed talking when they were interrupted by a knock at the door.

Mrs. Mackle asked who was it. A man's voice answered that he was a detective and had information about a young man who had a white Ford and was involved in an auto accident.

Barbara Jane's boyfriend drives a car similar to the one mentioned.

Mrs. Mackle opened the door. A shotgun was held on her by a white man of medium build wearing a black leather jacket and cap. He put a rag or cloth soaked in chloroform over her face, made her turn around and then the boy—who was about 12, she thought—tied her hands and feet with white cord. He taped her mouth with adhesive tape.

The mother said she swooned or fainted, but that she was able to free herself in about five minutes and called police. Her daughter was wearing her red and white checkered flannel nightgown.

Invasion is called dangerous

PRAGUE (AP) — National Assembly Chairman Josef Smrkovsky appealed in a speech disclosed Tuesday for action on economic and political reforms that were stopped by Soviet tanks.

He also declared that relations between the Communist party leadership and the people of this occupied nation are being dangerously weakened.

Deputy Premier Peter Colotka disclosed plans for a meeting of the Communist party Central Committee in January on National Assembly questions that could remove Smrkovsky from his post. Prague workers have threatened to strike if Smrkovsky is ousted.

Smrkovsky's remarks, made to a closed session of the Central Committee Friday, were carried for the first time in the party press.

In support of reforms to free factories from central planning dictates, Smrkovsky said: "Let us give the government what belongs to it and the plants what belong to them and above all let us stop losing time."

He added that the reforms must also be "projected in the political sphere" and called for a government policy of "nothing about people without the people."

"What is involved is the whole relations between the party and the masses which after January had begun to experience, after many years, a rebirth, and which, let us not hide it, is beginning to be dangerously weakened," he said.

He was referring to the post-January reforms that permitted greater freedom of speech and assembly and more non-Communist political activity.

The Central Committee meeting stressed close economic ties with the Soviet Union and other Eastern European countries.

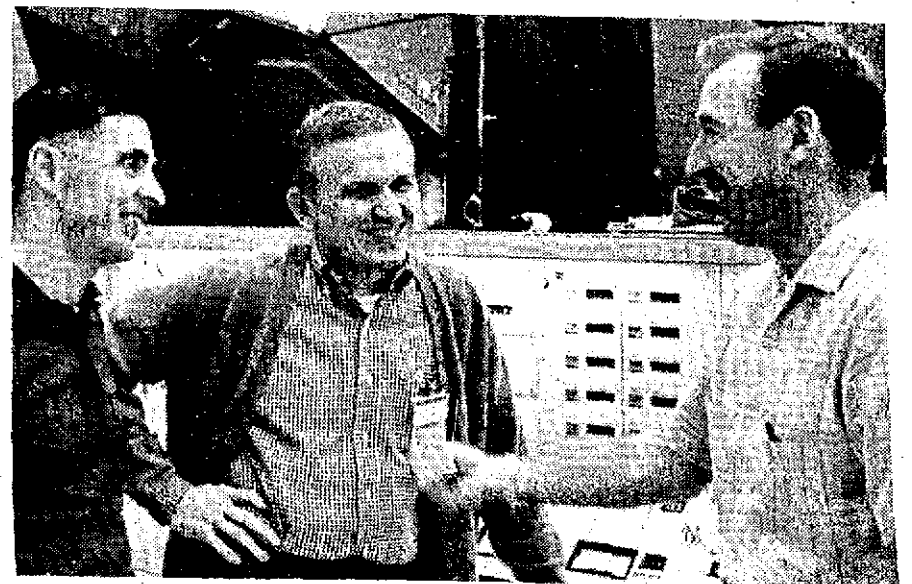
RMN pledges U. N. support

NEW YORK (AP) — President-elect Nixon visited the United Nations Tuesday, pledged his administration "to do everything that we can to strengthen this organization"—and left one diplomat with a hint that he may soon advocate U.S. ratification of the treaty to control the spread of nuclear weapons.

That indication came from William C. Foster, chief U.S. disarmament negotiator, after a conversation with Nixon. The President-elect said during the campaign that Senate approval of the treaty should be delayed because of the Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia. He has not publicly altered that stand.

But Foster said Nixon told him that while the time may or may not be right for ratification now, it is shortly going to be ripe.

Nixon spent a little more than 25 minutes at a reception for U.N. delegates and staff members.



Apollo 8 astronauts, left to right, Bill Anders, Frank Borman and James Lovell enjoy a moment of relaxation outside the mission simulator at Cape Kennedy Tuesday.

(UPI Telephoto)

Apollo Yule show may be on television

NEW YORK (AP) — If Apollo 8 orbits the moon Christmas Eve television viewers may be able to witness this historic event with an astronomer's eyepiece through a telescope.

The spacecraft will look like a white dot traveling across the darkened portion of the first quarter moon.

To show the Apollo ship in circumlunar flight NBC will hook

into the telescope at the Denver Museum of Natural History. Its planetarium, completed five months ago, is the first equipped with a television-telescope system.

"We might get lucky and catch them around the edge of the moon," said Jim Kitchell, in charge of NBC's coverage of the flight. "There's less chance of seeing them on the lighted side.

That's a pretty hot surface. "If we can pick up a 30-foot spacecraft 250,000 miles in space it'll be pretty amazing," he said.

The planned sightings will be at 4:45 p.m., 6:44 p.m., 8:42 p.m. and 10:40 p.m. Dec. 24.

In addition, at least six live transmissions from the spacecraft itself will give viewers a closeup of the moon and what their planet looks like from space. The transmissions will be received at NASA's Madrid tracking station and will be fed to American and European television systems.

It will be the heaviest coverage television has ever given to a space shot. All three networks will be on the air 24 hours a day from lift-off Saturday until the end of the mission Friday, Dec. 27.

Kitchell said it is hoped the telescope can track the spacecraft across the moon for at least six minutes during four of the orbits. This is the time the ship—coated with a highly reflective silver-blue surface—remains in sunlight after crossing from the lighted part of the moon into the dark part.

Discount rate up to nip inflation

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve Board raised the discount rate Tuesday, citing "a resurgence in inflationary expectations that is impeding the restoration of economic stability" and increases in other interest rates.

The rate was boosted from 5 1/2 per cent to 5 7/8 per cent, effective today in most sections of the country.

The change is applicable at that time at member banks in the Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Richmond, Atlanta, Chicago, Minneapolis and Dallas Federal Reserve districts.

The only districts that did not request the boosting of the discount rate were the San Francisco and Kansas City districts, which serve all or part of 14 Midwestern and Western states.

If past performance is any guide, the two hold-outs will soon ask the board for permission to make the rate in their territories match that prevailing in the rest of the system.

The discount rate is the interest rate that Federal Reserve banks charge to their member banks.

The member banks in turn lend these funds to businesses and other borrowers at higher rates.

Thus when the discount rate goes up there is a corresponding increase in interest rates that will theoretically discourage some borrowing and cut down the amount of expansion by business.

Dr. Georges quits one post

HARRISBURG (AP) — Gov. Shafer announced Tuesday the resignation of Dr. Thomas W. Georges Jr. as acting secretary of health.

Georges, retains his second cabinet role as secretary of public welfare, will be succeeded by Dr. Richard J. Potter, currently a deputy secretary.

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Weather

Local Forecast: Mostly sunny with seasonal temperatures; high today between 32 and 39 degrees. Sun rises at 7:17 a.m.; sets at 4:37 p.m. Fire Index: Low. (Record Weather Pattern On Page 12.)

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South Vietnam negotiator warns U.S. on concessions

PARIS (AP) — South Vietnam warned the United States Tuesday against making new concessions to the Communists just to get Vietnamese peace talks going.

Diplomatic informants said the head of the South Vietnamese delegation, Pham Dang Lam, told U.S. Ambassador Averell Harriman that to demand a four-sided conference as the Communists are doing is to demand the impossible, adding: "We have gone as far as we can, and we can go no further."

Harriman replied that the North Vietnamese too have given ground in the search for agreed negotiating procedures, diplomatic insiders said.

The exchange took place at a strategy session with Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky and Ambassador Cyrus R. Vance also present. It was the third high-level encounter between the envoys since Monday.

Flu epidemic a 'disaster'

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Calling the flu epidemic a "disaster situation," the American Red Cross told its chapters Tuesday to provide workers and supplies to hospitals, schools and nursing homes.

Outbreaks of influenza—including the Hong Kong variety—and other respiratory diseases were reported in all regions of the country.

In New York City, Health Commissioner Edward O'Rourke said that during the past two weeks 500,000 people—or 1 out of every 16 New Yorkers—had suffered from the flu.

South Vietnam to be under U.S. pressure to be more conciliatory, he replied: "Yes."

The American pressure to which Ky referred focused on views on the war made Sunday by Defense Secretary Clark M. Clifford.

Among Clifford's main points: —Salgon and Hanoi are to blame for stalling the peace talks.

—American-North Vietnamese troop withdrawals from South Vietnam should precede a political settlement.

—Peacemaking could begin at any shaped table to stop the killing sooner.

Ky repeated the view he had expressed Monday—that Clifford has a "gift for saying the wrong thing at the wrong time."

His own aides and U.S. officials stressed that little time was spent on the Clifford statement during the working session.



Barbara Jane Mackle

School to allow Bible reading

PHILIPSBURG, Pa. (AP) — The Philipsburg-Osceola Area School District has voted to allow Bible reading and recitation of the Lord's Prayer in its schools after the holiday vacation.

Supt. E. J. Grundy said the "board realizes the implications of its decision"





New York Archbishop and Vicar General of the U.S. Armed Forces, Terence Cooke, greets American servicemen and their families in Baumholder, Germany, after celebrating mass in the 8th Infantry barracks Tuesday. Prelate is enroute to Vietnam where he will spend the Christmas holiday with U.S. troops.

Expelled Cheyney student swears he was 'not there'

HARRISBURG (AP) — One of nine expelled students seeking reinstatement to Cheyney State College testified under oath Tuesday that he did not participate in either of two incidents leading to the dismissals.

Renault Adger, 22, denied in Commonwealth Court being present at a founders' day assembly disrupted by a student demonstration on Nov. 15.

Nor, said Adger, was he present when a group of students allegedly used foul language in laying numerous complaints before D. Jack Moses, acting dean of academic affairs, on Nov. 20. "No, I wasn't there," Adger said after it was noted that a previous witness had identified him as being one of the nine who subjected Moses to verbal abuse.

John A. Spriggs, acting dean of students at the predominantly Negro college, testified on Monday that a bearded Renault Adger was present during the

incident in Moses' office.

Adger said, however, that he shaved off his beard on Nov. 18, because "I felt without the beard I'd have a better chance of getting a job."

Attorney Cecil B. Moore, representing the nine students, sought to show that Cheyney officials had confused Renault with his brother, Andre, who was not one of those expelled.

Warren G. Morgan, an assistant deputy attorney general representing the college, asked Renault during cross-examination if he was delinquent in payment of \$395 in tuition fees.

"There must have been some discrepancy in the financial office," Adger said, explaining he had had no prior notice of his being behind.

Upon further questioning, Adger said he did not pay his fees because he thought he was on a scholarship. He said he did not know who was providing the scholarship, replying, "It might be the government."

"I'm not sure," Adger concluded. "I'm just happy to get the money."

Adger said he had been a member of the Black Student League, a student group critical of the college administration, since 1964.

"They were not running the school to suit your group?" asked Judge Carl B. Shelley.

"To suit a lot of people," Adger replied.

Nixon hit on 'black capitalism'

OXFORD, Pa. (AP) — Julian Bond, Negro state legislator from Georgia, ridiculed what he presented as President-elect Nixon's theory of black capitalism in an address at Lincoln University.

Bond spoke to some 700 students Monday night at the predominantly black college of which his father, Horace Mann Bond, is a past president.

"Mr. Nixon wants companies like General Motors to train black people to go into black communities and establish black plants," Bond said. "The black plants would still be owned by General Motors, who would be getting tax breaks for their good works," he said.

diagnosed cases in the same hospital," said Dr. Schrack. "There just aren't enough laboratory facilities to test everyone," he explained.

In addition, he said, new laboratory isolations have been reported.

Hong Kong flu outbreak not uniform in state

HARRISBURG (AP) — A state health department official said Tuesday the Hong Kong flu outbreak seems to have reached its peak in the Philadelphia area but is still growing in other regions.

Dr. W. D. Schrack, director of the department's Division of Communicable Diseases, said the new trouble area appears to be in Allegheny County where several new, laboratory-proved cases were reported Monday.

"Absenteeism there is running as high as 30 per cent in Pittsburgh," said Dr. Schrack. "And yesterday, they had three times as many as the usual number of substitute teachers."

Dr. Schrack and Dr. Victor Hrehorovich, U. S. Public Health Service epidemiology specialist for Pennsylvania, reported 237 laboratory isolations of Hong Kong-type flu virus have been reported across the state.

"But for every Laboratory tested case there may be 100

Production posts gain in November

WASHINGTON (AP) — Industrial production posted its third consecutive monthly increase in November, the Federal Reserve reported Tuesday. It said the output of the nation's factories, mills and mines topped that of a year earlier by 4.8 per cent.

The strong upward trend of the index, one of the most significant indicators of national economic activity, seemed to indicate that the administration's efforts to flatten the rate of climb are still less than effective.

Businessmen and economists have been expecting further attempts, either by the administration or such semi-independent regulatory bodies as the Federal Reserve, to curb the rate of expansion.

In particular, they have been watching for the Federal Reserve to raise the discount rate, the basic interest rate it charges when it lends to its member banks.

Catholic theologians urge reforms

ZURICH, Switzerland (AP) — Warning of immeasurable damage to their Church, 38 Roman Catholic theologians are urging greater freedom in the expression of divergent theological concepts.

They put forth their views in a petition released here Tuesday, reflecting what many believe to be a deepening crisis in Roman Catholicism. The theologians asked for a renewal of the Vatican Curia and called for development of a "healthy theology" that must not be jeopardized by "any form of inquisition."

The theologians asked Pope Paul VI to make major reforms in the Vatican Curia, the central administration of the Church and called for the retirement of cardinals over 75.

Vatican circles said they believed the petition was an attempt to get rid of Alfredo Cardinal Ottaviani and his followers. An archconservative, Cardinal Ottaviani is 78. The cardinal still works at the Vatican's Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, the former Holy Office, although his resignation as its head was accepted last January. He is still said to exert considerable influence.

Modern-minded theologians in Rome and elsewhere still see

Cardinal Ottaviani as their most influential opponent. The recent controversial investigation into the dissident works of the Rev. Eduard Schillebeeckx, one of the signers of the petition, was widely regarded as the result of pressure exerted by the aged, nearly blind cardinal. A Dominican, Father Schillebeeckx is theological adviser to the Dutch bishops.

The impression that the Ottaviani influence is not only still strong but growing was heightened by the Pope's encyclical against artificial methods of birth control. Many at the Vatican viewed the papal prescription as a direct reflection of the minority report from the Pope's birth control commission. That report was submitted by Cardinal Ottaviani.

The cardinal is also considered the main opponent of setting up a new international commission of theologians that would, in effect, dilute the power of his old Holy Office.

As the battle of theology has intensified, the charge has been heard that the pontiff has become a prisoner of the old conservatives surrounding him in the Vatican.

It is this situation that the petitioners appear to be fighting

against. Most of the petition's proposals to ensure liberty of theological discussion have already been accepted in principle by the Pope. But the theo-

logians see signs of hesitation and backsliding to old methods.

Signers of the petition, published in various newspapers and soon to be reprinted in the

Nijmegen, Holland theological review Consilium, included two American theologians: the Rev. John McKenzie of Notre Dame University.



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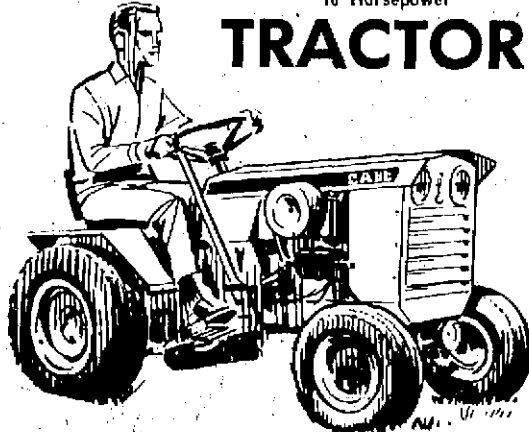
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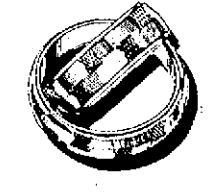
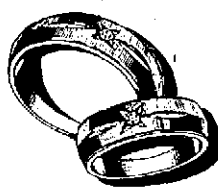
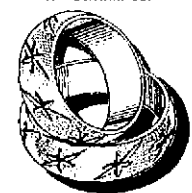


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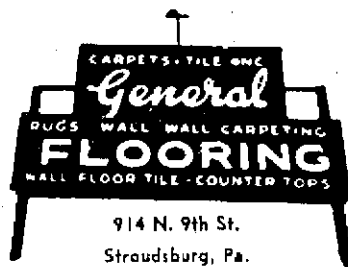
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Pen Argyl school board seeks federal grant for guidance study

PEN ARGYL — The Pen Argyl School Board has approved the school's participation in a career-guidance program for students

Year's wool program nears end

STROUDSBURG — Growers are reminded that the 1968 marketing year under the wool program ends December 31.

Paul R. Everett, chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Monroe County Committee, explained that this means that payments for the current 1968 year will depend on completing all details of marketing either wool or lambs by that date. Marketings completed after December 31, 1968, will become marketings in the 1969 marketing year, and thus not eligible for payments until early 1970.

Everett urged producers to make sure that all details for the 1968 sales are completed by the end of the year. This includes passing title to the buyer, delivering the wool to the buyer either physically or through documents (such as warehouse receipts or bills of lading) transferring control to the buyer, and having available all the information needed to determine the buyers' total purchase price.

Applications for the 1968 marketing year payments under the National Wool Act may be filed with the county ASCS office at any time, and Everett said this should be done as soon as possible. Incentive payments under the wool program are based on the average national price for marketings during the whole year, and this can be determined more exactly if reports on marketings are complete. ASCS therefore is urging that all 1968-year applications be filed before January 31, 1969.

Payments for the 1968 marketing year will likely begin in April of next year.

in the seventh and eighth grades. During a meeting Monday night, the school board authorized Dr. Wilson Kresge to prepare and file forms to receive a federal grant to start a study of the program.

The federal grant will be sought jointly with staff members of the Eastern Northampton County Area Vocational Technical School.

The board hired Jennifer Schantz as an elementary

physical education teacher. Miss Schantz, who is from Quakertown, will be graduated from East Stroudsburg State College in January and will start her teaching duties on Jan. 20.

Also hired was Mrs. Loretta Hassler as a first grade teacher. Mrs. Hassler is a graduate of Kutztown State College and has taught in Reading and Parkland schools.

The board accepted with regret the resignation of Mrs. Ann

Marie Daly, a secondary school reading teacher. Dorinda Pritchard, Wind Gap, was approved for addition to the substitute teacher list.

Mrs. Diane Sanders was hired as a lunchroom monitor in the elementary system and Mrs. James Wilson was hired as a substitute lunchroom monitor.

The board accepted the resignation of Mrs. Ronald Moyer as a lunchroom monitor in the Garfield-McKinley schools.

The board agreed to eliminate the normal activity period in secondary schools on Friday to permit students to leave from 15 to 30 minutes earlier.

The board was notified that Carl Morris and Audrey Wilson have been chosen senior boy and girl of the month for November, while Craig Kemmerer and Sande Behr received similar honors for December.

The board was also notified that the student body in all the elementary schools, under the leadership of the student councils, is collecting clothing to send to the Save the Children Federation, Knoxville, Tenn.



Lucky Friday

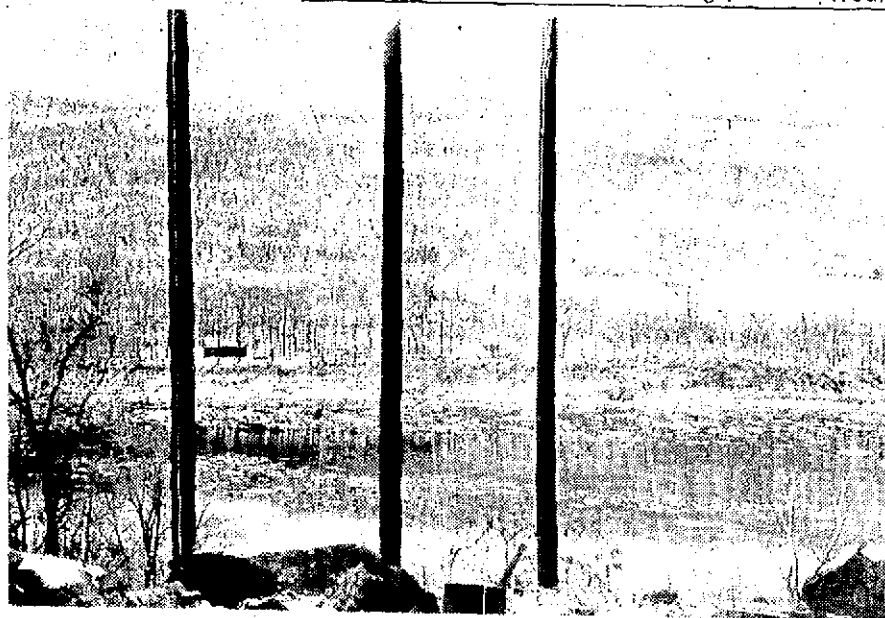
Friday the 13th was not unlucky for Cindy Lou Husson, 12, who was able to bag this buck on that unlucky day. Cindy, a seventh grade student at Delaware Valley Junior High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon F. Husson, Dingmans Ferry.

Masons elect Bangor man high priest

BANGOR — Joseph H. Keifer Jr., Bangor, RD. 2, has been elected most excellent high priest of the Royal Arch Masons, Bangor Chapter.

The action was taken during a meeting Monday night. Francis C. Holland was chosen king; Andrew J. Nagle Sr., scribe; Arlington A. Smith, treasurer; Arthur H. Hellick, secretary; and Asher G. Abel Jr., Theodore M. Hatter and George L. Randolph, trustees.

The chapter covers Bangor, Pen Argyl, Portland and Nazareth. Keifer is also a member of the Portland Lodge, F&AM; Pomp Council R&SM; Samuel S. Yohe, commandery Stroudsburg, and Tall Cedars of Lebanon, Easton.



Tocks site

Power transmission lines span the Delaware River from Kittatinny Ridge at the exact spot where the Tocks Island dam will be constructed. This view looks across the river toward Bushkill.

(Staff Photo by B. Walter)

Pike commissioners award bid of \$153,383 for flood control dam

MILFORD — The Pike County Commissioners during a meeting Tuesday awarded a contract to the Triple V Construction Co. of Lopez, Pa., in the amount of \$153,383 for the construction of an earth-fill flood protection dam in the Greene-Dreher watershed.

The successful bid, which is subject to federal approval, was the lowest of five received.

Other bidders were Clair C. Hock, Inc., Bloomsburg, \$237,536; J.H. Beers, Inc., Bangor, \$282,412; Giffon Const. Co., Leroyville, Pa., \$181,131; and Gasparini Excavating Co., Inc., Peckville, \$180,225.

Scout district names head

WIND GAP — J. Harvey Kellow, Pen Argyl, has been installed chairman of the Blue Mountain Scout District.

Kellow was installed by outgoing chairman Michael Fisher, Bangor, during a monthly meeting in the Salem Church Hall, Wind Gap.

Others taking office were John Metzger, Bangor, Claude Miller, Pen Argyl, and Roy Hahn, Nazareth, vice chairmen.

Meeting with the commissioners were Dr. Harry D. Probst, Honesdale, and Charles Gillette, Palmyra Twp.

It was announced the meeting was for informational purposes in regard to the construction of an extended-care facility in Wayne County for patients from both Pike and Wayne.

The commissioners reappointed H. Dean McCombs, Malamoras, and John Quinn, Dingman Twp., to three-year terms on the Pike County Planning Commission.

No replacement was named for Leonard Matter, Milford, whose resignation from the

commission was received during the meeting.

Tunkhannock Deed recorded

STROUDSBURG — The following deed was recorded in the Monroe County Register and Recorder's office:

TUNKHANNOCK TOWNSHIP — Arline McHugh, Tunkhannock Twp., to Kenneth A. and Elizabeth R. Henning, Tobyhanna Twp.

Suit placed

STROUDSBURG — John E. and Arlene C. Martin, 309 Stokes Mill Rd., Stroudsburg, Tuesday filed suit with the Monroe County Court for \$2,000 against Gaetan Lebel, 7000 Boul Monk, Montreal, Canada, for damages to their car in an accident in Ansonia in July, 1967.

Grange endorses selection

HARRISBURG — Selection of Clifford M. Hardin, chancellor of the University of Nebraska, by President-elect Richard M. Nixon to be secretary of agriculture, has the "full endorsement" of the Grange, according to John W. Scott, Washington, national master.

Speaking at a Grange Middle Atlantic Leaders Conference, Scott described the new head of the nation's agriculture as a "middle-of-the-roader" whom he expects will take an "objective approach" to the problems that confront farmers.

Scott, who headed the Pennsylvania State Grange for six years before his recent election as national master, said he anticipates an "orderly take-over" in the Department of Agriculture. "Programs that have proved their worth have a good chance of being retained."

Some of Hardin's expressed views on both domestic and international agricultural policy, Scott indicated, "are the same as those held by the Grange, a 600,000-member organization made up of farm families in thirty-eight states and the Philippine Islands."

Workshops, lectures, and panel discussions featured a three-day program, that will end Sunday. A. Wayne Readinger, state master and local chairman for the event, said the conference is designed to aid attending Grange officials from a nine-state region in developing effective rural leadership in their areas.

National Grange officials on the conference staff, in addition to Scott, include William J. Brake, Haslett, Mich., lecturer; Robert G. Proctor, Bradenton, Fla., secretary; Mrs. Donald K. Peck, Litchfield, Conn., director of women's activities; Mrs. James W. Ingwersen, LeRoy, Kan., Junior Grange superintendent; Edwin C. Hadlock, youth director, and Robert Frederick, legislative representative, both Washington.

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Law enforcement continues to become an ever more difficult profession. One that someday soon may border on the impossible.

President-elect Richard M. Nixon's advisers on crime have urged him to double the manpower assigned to combat organized crime, but to limit strictly the use of electronic eavesdropping.

Among the recommendations is one calling for the Justice Department to increase its legal staff from 60 to 120 attorneys, a move that is reportedly geared to launch an all-out battle against the Mafia.

However, there is little crime fighting today that can be successful without the use of electronic devices. Ruling out violence in the street will come only after the higher-ups in the crime syndicate are flushed from their expensive penthouses.

The higher ups can be captured or at least discovered much easier through electronic devices. It will be impossible to battle the brains in plush offices and apartments in the same manner as our police would the thugs in the street.

Police must be given as much freedom as possible to assist them in their battle against crime. If the United States is to truly expand its campaign against crime, it must also expand the number of weapons made available to police forces across the land.

Criminals are more intelligent today than ever before and they have more gimmicks operating in their favor, both legal and actual, than those who have opposed the law in previous years.

Multiply many times over the number of crimes that go unsolved each year in this community and you begin to form a picture of the odds facing the police and their ever-ending job.

The only way to stamp out crime in the United States is to give the good guys weapons that are bigger and better than those at the disposal of the bad guys.

Two of the weapons needed by police forces throughout the land are adequate training and suitable numbers.

Any weapons deleted from the attack is hurting the police campaign before it even begins.

It's flu of some kind

Hong Kong flu may be controversial at the present time. There are those who laugh at the name and doubt very much if it's the real thing in this area.

But, one fact we must accept is that we are now the mass victim of some form of flu. The name doesn't really matter—it's flu and it makes you sick.

Absenteeism is high in area schools and in industry. The "bug" has become an incident of concern with medical, school and industrial authorities.

The presence of the respiratory ailment is becoming more apparent at this time of year because of the Christmas season and the close association of shoppers.

People are urged to follow all the rules of precaution prescribed by physicians and to obtain flu shots if they are recommended by doctors.

There has been a heavy demand on vaccine to combat Hong Kong flu and it is not available to everyone who wants it at the present time.

However, those who haven't as yet been floored by the "bug" may aid the fight to control the outbreak of respiratory ailments by following the simple rules of rest, liquids and aspirin.

Even the slightest precaution could ward off a possible truly serious epidemic. But, we're all going to have to play a part—not just a few.

Light side

With Gene Brown

Twin Troubles

One day little Margie went with her father when he drowned the extra kittens. When she started to cry he let her keep one of them.

On the following Sunday they took her twin brothers to be baptized. As they neared the font, tears swelled in little Margie's eyes and she suddenly blurted:

"Which one are we gonna keep, Daddy?"

From the Los Angeles Times comes these bits of wry humor inspired by the Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia. Some of the jokes are circulating in the Warsaw Pact countries.

—One Eastern European asked another which is the largest country in the world. "Hungary," the other replied. "The Soviet troops started to leave in 1956 and they have not reached the border yet."

—Moscow has gone Karl Marx one better. Marx declared that there are just wars and unjust wars, but Moscow now has added fraternal wars.

—Czechoslovakia is now the most neutral nation in the world. It does not even intervene in its own affairs.

—There is reputed to be a new poster in the tourist office in Moscow: "See all the Socialist states. Join the Soviet army."

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New Liberal may not really be liberal

By DAVID OTTAWAY

Record Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — The appointment of Daniel P. Moynihan to head up a new prestigious, Cabinet-level Council on Urban Affairs is one of the most intriguing decisions President-elect Richard M. Nixon has made to date.

It is not immediately clear what Moynihan, a liberal Democrat and a former Assistant Secretary of Labor under President Kennedy and Johnson, has in common with the President-elect, a moderate-conservative Republican.

In fact, there is already speculation here that the Nixon-Moynihan romance will sour in a short time.

The answer to the riddle of the Moynihan appointment can be found in one of the now forgotten radio broadcasts Nixon made during the presidential campaign.

In a radio address last May entitled "A new Alignment for American Unity," Nixon spoke of the appearance of a "New Liberal" in American politics and cited Moynihan as an example.

The voice of the New Liberal, Nixon said, "Demands more personal freedom and less government domination."

"Thoughtful critics like Daniel Moynihan and Richard Goodwin—both liberals—are giving the word another dimension. A century ago, to be 'liberal' meant to be against the domination of government authority, to put personal liberty ahead of the dictates of the State."

"Only recently," argued Nixon, "has the term 'liberal' come to mean dependence on federal action to meet people's needs. The future meaning of liberal is likely to return to reliance on personal freedom."

Nixon believes Moynihan is the embodiment of the New Liberal and that he may point the way to a reconciliation between liberals and conservatives. But he may be bitterly disappointed, too.

Moynihan has a reputation for being a highly unorthodox liberal. In 1965, he wrote a report on the Negro family that raised a storm of protest among Negroes. He was even accused of being a "racist."

Most recently, Moynihan wrote a critic of the war on poverty included in the "Republican Papers," a collection of essays published last summer and edited by Rep. Melvin R. Laird, the new Secretary of Defense.

In his essay, Moynihan blamed the failure of the war on poverty largely on the liberals and their blind faith in the goodness of the federal government.

"Somehow liberals have been unable to acquire from life what conservatives seem to be endowed with at birth, namely a healthy skepticism of the powers of government agencies to do good," he stated.

The federal government, the MIT professor continued, is a "superb instrument" for redistributing wealth and power in American society.

Unreliable service

"But as an instrument for providing services, especially to urban lower-class Negroes, it is a highly unreliable device."

Yet, for all his bitter criticism of liberals and federal bureaucracy, Moynihan does not share Nixon's faith in the power of private enterprise to solve the problem of poverty, either.

The three specific recommendations he makes all rely heavily on the federal government and call for massive spending. None of them fit into the Nixon philosophy.

The first recommendation is that the federal government

become "the employer of last resort; so that anyone looking for work and not finding it is automatically given a job."

The second calls for a system of "family allowances" whereby subsidies would be given to all families according to the number of children. This system, he argues, would get money into the hands of the poor the fastest.

The third recommendation is that the government take charge of rebuilding the cities.

"The federal government has a dozen ways to do this, and it must," Moynihan said.

The cost of the Moynihan program is no drop in the bucket and should make Nixon shudder.

The MIT scholar estimates himself that the family allowance program would cost roughly nine billion dollars. Sen. Joseph Clark (D-Pa.), who has introduced a bill making the government "the employer of last resort," figured it would cost \$10.3 billion to provide jobs for 2.4 million unemployed.

As for rebuilding the cities, the bare minimum mentioned for a start on the Model Cities

program is \$2.3 billion. Thus, the Moynihan program calls for at least \$20 billion in new government expenditures.

Nixon has said repeatedly he does not believe the answer to poverty lies in additional massive government spending, particularly at a time of fiscal crisis.

Thus, there is some doubt here in Washington that Moynihan and Nixon are really on the same wave length or that Moynihan is really the New Liberal the President-elect has in mind.



Jim Bishop

Star forgotten

Beauty dies a separate death. It leaves the premises early, tiptoeing so lightly that, for a time, it isn't missed. Once, when I was a growing boy, I met a rare woman named Ceil Arnold.

The face was pale and almost haughty; the eyes flashed like gems; she had been a movie star at a time when Pearl White was making The Perils of Pauline.

She was a concert pianist, and played for the crowned heads of Europe when she was a child. Miss Arnold composed music for Irving Berlin. She spoke seven languages, five fluently. In 1914, her Hollywood fiancé was Wallace Ried, a great star who died of drug addiction.

Last week, I was in Los Angeles and decided to track her down. I knew that she had been married to William Nolte, head of production at 20th Century Fox, but the word was out that he died a few years back. I located a Ceil Nolte, at 3784 Valleybrink Road, but no one seemed to know where she was.

My wife and I got in a taxi at the Beverly Hills Hotel and drove about five dollars worth. The driver found a Valleybrink Road off Los Feliz, near Glendale. He pulled up in front of a bungalow. The talented beauty had to be behind that plain front door. We knocked. A small dog barked. A voice croaked: "Come in. Come in."

Ceil Nolte recognized me before I did her. A little old lady sat in an arm chair, a faded tapestry hung on a wall; there was an ash tray, a telephone stand; some newspapers on an end table. The woman had lost many teeth; the face was that of an old lady; the eyes flashed the same brilliance and suddenly they filled with tears.

She had cancer 15 years ago and the operation was a colostomy. Ceil Nolte has never left the bungalow since. She lives in the little two-room bungalow with a dachshund and a manx cat and a treasure chest of memories. She has no children, no relatives, no friends—just the County of Los Angeles and a nurse who helps her out of bed at 10 a.m. and sets her in that chair.

Her food consists of four scrambled eggs every day, plus a sugar bun and innumerable cups of coffee. The lawyers told her that her husband left no money, and she scrapes up

enough to pay a small phone bill every month.

There is an upright piano, but, like Ceil, it is out of tune. Her mind is electrifyingly bright and she sits in a white Turkish robe talking of today and tomorrow and a host of yesterdays. What happens to beauty? More to the point, where are those who looked upon Ceil Nolte as an idol?

I felt small when she said that we were the first people to come to see her in years. "The head is still intact," she said, laughing and wiping the tears, "but the rest of me is garbage." Now and then, she pockets the haughty pride and begs the county to allot a few more dollars to her so that she can afford a magazine, or a book.

The nurse fixed her hair and the bony fingers toyed with the little curls on the side of the head. After an hour, I said I had to go. "A dinner appointment," I said, "with Jim Mahoney." "Of course you must go," she said. "I follow your career in the papers and I save everything you write. You're a busy man, Jim. I just wish that we could talk all night."

As we waited for the cab, her speech speeded up. There was so much to say. So little time. I wondered if the Motion Picture Relief Fund couldn't do something for one of the earliest movie stars, but I didn't mention it. I wanted to leave some money, and she said "No" almost fiercely. On a table, I saw brittle yellow clippings of Ceil when she was a famous beauty.

The photos looked as though the woman would remain young forever. I was going to ask her if some of the local radio stations couldn't start a fund for Ceil Nolte, but the toothless mouth compressed into a hard line and I gave up.

The taxi arrived. Ceil looked shyly at Kelly and said to me: "Where did you ever find this beautiful child?" It was a generous tribute from one to whom the word beauty must be like ashes on the tongue.

She kissed me hard. "I will never see you again," she said. "I won't last long enough for you to come back. But believe me, I will relive this visit over and over again. Now please go."

I must get back to her. I must also help in some way. Someday, I may sit in a chair alone, fingering clippings that are meaningless...



Bob Considine

Busy Basil

NEW YORK—This is a busy time for Basil O'Connor, who will be 77 next month. He is, as usual, lining up fund-raising activities in support of the National Foundation and Breathing fresh life into the March of Dimes.

O'Connor and his fellow Harvard law chum, Franklin D. Roosevelt, formed a law firm in 1925. "Connor was deeply touched by Roosevelt's good nature in the face of being struck by crippling poliomyelitis. When FDR revealed his hope of establishing a polio treatment center at Warm Springs, Ga., O'Connor set about the task of giving substance to the dream."

For the next eight years he was the sole fund-raiser for the Warm Springs foundation. All he had going for him was a yellow legal pad, a telephone and a superb knowledge of the business and financial community. Few men he called had the moxie to turn him down, so determined was he to get his partner what he wanted for himself and other victims of the cruel and unfathomable disease.

O'Connor's march of dimes project was not the first voluntary health agency in the United States, but it was about the first to open the field of philanthropy to the so-called "common man." It began its operation in 1938 when "brother, can you spare a dime?" Was still close to the top on the Hit Parade.

Messages help

Ed Garbisch, of football's Hall of Fame, was telling us the other day that he couldn't take

all the credit for two of his most memorable gridiron feats.

"Just before the 1922 game against Navy, 'The fabled West Pointer said, "our chaplain presented me with a bible. He inscribed it for Ed Garbisch, with the warm regard and affection of his friend and chaplain, Clayton E. Wheat." Then he added, "A strong man is a tower of strength to his fellows. Strengthen the Brethren."

Garbisch strengthened the Brethren the following Saturday at Franklin Field, Philadelphia. He was pulled out of his regular position as Army's center and dropped back to kick. The rules of that day did not permit the ball to be moved into the field after a play that stopped near the sidelines. So Ed had to kick from one yard inside the sideline.

"With the grace of God and a good strong wind, I kicked a 47-yard field goal," Ed said. "The Army won the game 17-14." Ed's mother was unable to attend the game that made him immortal, Army-Navy, 1924. But she sent him a warmly-worded telegram. His father was on hand with an inspirational message which he had typed. A chaplain sent him a four-leaf clover from Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

Ed drop-kicked four goals. Army won 12-0. "I had the telegram in my shoe, dad's message in one pants-leg, and the clover stuck inside my jersey," Ed recalled. "When I stripped later in the dressing room, it had been pounded into a little shred of green pulp."



And away we go



Roscoe Drummond

Tough task ahead

WASHINGTON—Richard Nixon has ahead of him a task which most new presidents achieve by their very election. He didn't.

His task is to win a mandate to govern—a mandate which his election failed to provide.

He must generate by effective performance and a meaningful legislative program the public trust and support which he crucially needs and has yet to win.

The people whose problems will most concern the new administration—the Negroes, the unemployed, the very poor, the frustrated, the discriminated-against—overwhelmingly wanted Hubert Humphrey for president. Nixon needs to gain at least a majority trust from those who voted against him while consolidating the support of those who voted for him.

Because Nixon is a minority president leading a minority party which controls neither house of Congress, he particularly has to gain a firmer and fuller mandate.

He is beginning to do so. The smooth and co-operative transition reflects great credit upon incoming and outgoing Presidents.

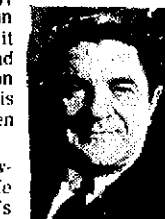
The thrust of his appointments is evidence that Nixon meant it when he spoke about an "activist presidency."

Thinnest margin

Out of the record total of 73 million voters, less than half a million votes (seven-tenths of one per cent) separated Nixon and Humphrey. Thus the great majority of the American people came to rest on election day at the political center.

It is now evident that the president-elect has selected a cabinet and a White House staff which also reflect the political center. This is where the votes are, present and future. And this is where Nixon himself comfortably stands.

It is somewhat to the left of the Eisenhower Administration. It is somewhat to the right of what would have been the Humphrey Administration.



Lester Coleman, M. D.

Answers to questions

How does the navel of a new-born baby become infected?

Infection of the navel or umbilicus is caused by germs, bacteria or fungus exactly as it is caused in any other organ of the body. It is surprising when it occurs because the new-born baby is handled with such extreme care in a comparatively sterile nursery. When infections occur, they are readily treated with wet dressings and with antibiotics if they are severe.

I have always thought that one of the most charming names for a bellybutton is the umbilicus. Another charming one is the name given for an infection of the navel. It is called omphalitis, coming from the word omphalos, the Greek word for navel.

When the baby is born, the umbilical cord, through which it receives its nourishment from the mother during its life in the womb, is securely tied and then separated from the

placenta or after-birth.

Within a few days the stump begins to dry up and is quickly covered by normal, healthy skin. When this falls to heal the mother should call it to the attention of the doctor so that the treatment can be started.

Why there are so many variations to the shape of the bellybutton will, I am certain, remain a long unsolved mystery. Many of them develop the normal healthy dimple while others develop real character and personality by sticking out a little.

Markin time

You should go slow and think a minute Why you are celebrating. Although you put a cherry in it, It is intoxicating.

Luther Markin

Welfare payments increase

Record Harrisburg Bureau
HARRISBURG—Total expenditures for public assistance in Monroe County during the month of August increased from that of a month earlier, climbing from \$64,881 during July to \$70,623, a State Department of Public Welfare report revealed yesterday.

A breakdown of the report shows that cash assistance grants for the county in August totaled \$29,472, as compared with \$30,250 in July, while vendor payments for medical assistance in the county amounted to \$34,532 during August as against \$29,202 during the preceding month.

Under the heading "county administration", cost of administering the program in Monroe County in August was \$6,205 — up from July's costs totaling \$5,429.

A further look at the cash assistance grants of the relief program in Monroe County for August shows the following breakdown (with July's expenditures noted in parentheses):

Old age assistance \$7,623 (\$7,652); state blind pension, \$1,500 (\$1,822); federal-state blind pension, \$2,084 (\$2,291); aid to dependent children assistance, \$12,746 (\$13,078); general assistance, \$2,565 (\$2,174); and aid to disabled assistance, \$2,964 (\$3,233).

On the other hand, in Pike County total expenditures for public assistance dropped from \$14,563 during July to \$14,331 during the month of August, according to the departmental report.

Cash assistance grants for Pike County during August were reported totaling \$7,107, while during July \$7,121 was expended under this category. Vendor payments for medical assistance in the county in August stood at \$5,228, while a month earlier payments totaled \$5,761.

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Lady makes 'rubber' for antique cars

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Ever wonder who makes the tires for the thousand of antique cars still chugging along the nation's highways? Those so-called tin lizzies still get flats—and they've got to roll on rubber.

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"Antique car owners are unlike any other people in regard to their requests," says Mrs. Klein. "They want their tires immediately—no excuses."

"I've had a California owner call me up at two in the morning, wanting a tire made and sent air freight before noon the next day."

Universal produces 43 different sizes, and its three employees can make about 20 tires daily. Each tire generally takes about 15 minutes to put together and another 30 minutes to cure.

It also makes tires for antique airplanes and horse-drawn carriages.

Mrs. Klein, and her partners, William Dupree and Harold Coker, acknowledge that modern techniques are faster—but point out proudly their production is all done by hand.

On the average, a set of four tires for a Model T Ford costs \$125. But a single tire for a 1940 Oldsmobile Limited goes for \$125, for a Model A it's as little as \$19.

Mrs. Klein, whose husband is a candy manufacturer, is no stranger to antique cars.

Before her marriage and while a student at Pennsylvania State University, she repaired and sold antique autos and later organized Klein Kars, selling parts and service.

Her husband, William, once owned more than 50 of the ancient vehicles.

FACTS & FIGURES: Pennsylvania forests contain an estimated 18 billion cubic feet of wood, and the volume of lumber is increasing about three per cent annually. Most of the

commercial forest rise is in Western Pennsylvania. Construction in Pennsylvania this year is around \$825 million, up 16 per cent over 1967, with the big plus in home building, now over \$252 million, compared to \$216 million last year. Powerful water guns and a giant dragline are being used in the anthracite region to extinguish the coal fires that have been burning for years in hard coal dumps.

THE BRAIN FACTORIES: A temple University surgeon is the new head of the Pennsylvania Association of Hospital Auxiliaries. She is Mrs. H. Taylor Caswell of Narberth, Montgomery County, who recently succeeded Mrs. Hoard Esler of Bloomsburg.

The Philadelphia Bar Association, for the third straight year, is conducting law seminars for policemen at the Philadelphia Community College. The attorney-teachers explain recent court decisions and how they must be applied to the daily police work. The Museum of the University of Pennsylvania discloses that its team of 40 excavators had raised a portion of an ancient Greek ship off the coast of Cyprus, yielding classical secrets never known before. The 60-foot sailing ship reportedly sank more than 2,200 years ago. Work will continue next summer, hopefully permitting a full raising, preserving and reconstruction of the ship.

Thankful because I have bones in my body. I'm thankful because I have food in my body. I'm thankful because I have some clothes. I'm thankful because I have a school. I'm thankful because I have friends. — Monica Hines, 10-year-old Allentown girl, a Negro, in a Thanksgiving Day view.

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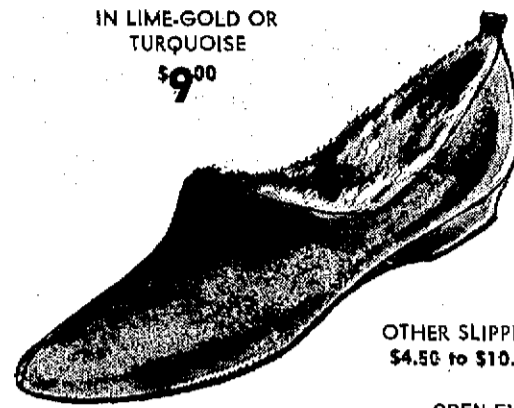
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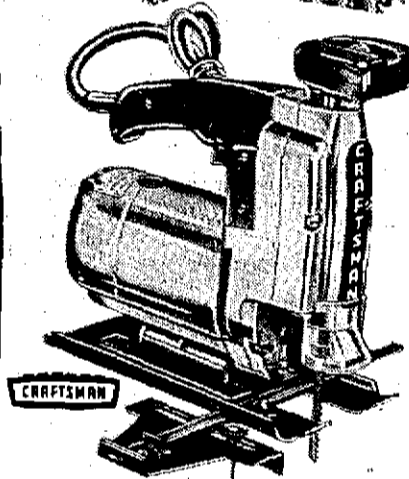
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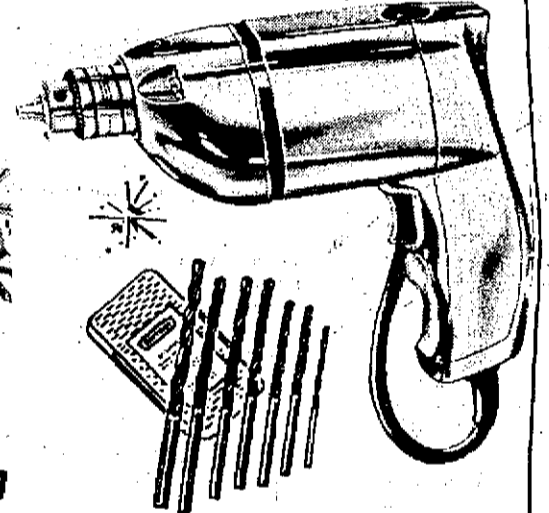
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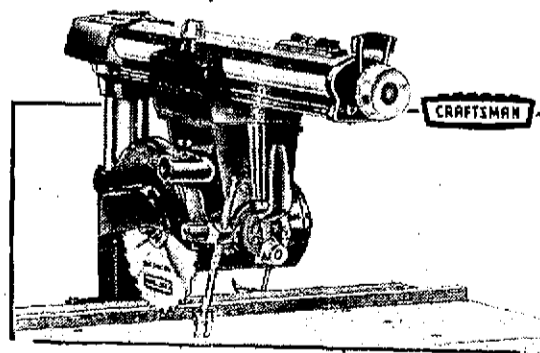


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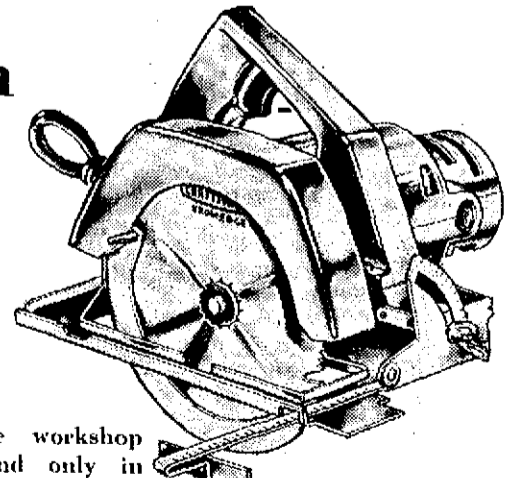
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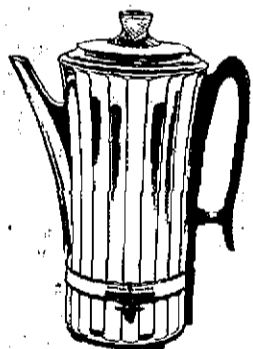
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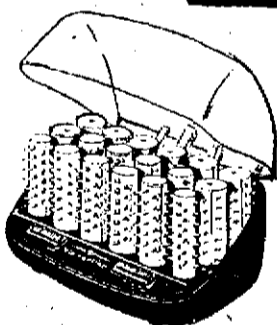
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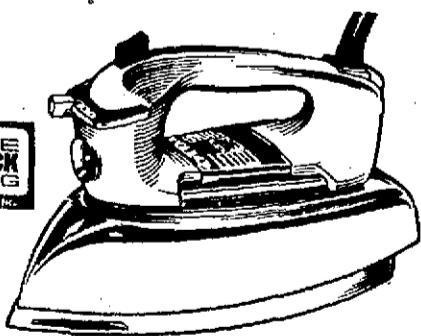


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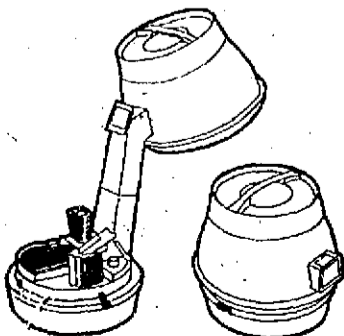
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Just Between Us—

By Bobby Westbrook

In all their realism with toys this year, the doll manufacturers overlooked one category: nowhere did I find a doll that got the croup, ran a temperature, or kept the family up all night, although that should be a real life-like item this year.

There are dolls that grow a tooth, tumble, ride bicycles, wiggle, wet, drink, take baths, whisper and talk, but none that have to be snuffed. Actually, there is this year a return to the baby doll after several years of sophisticated teenagers with incredible wardrobes, and not a bride doll in the lot which seems to me a healthy sign.

Speaking of health, my languid drooping impersonation of Camille doesn't seem half so convincing around the office as before the party when I joined the cavorting, as lively

as anybody — or maybe livelier.

"Relapse," I explain weakly. Part of the relapse comes from the fact that the calendar, so bouncing with activity all month, is beginning to collapse like a pricked balloon.

In the week between now and Christmas, private affairs take precedence over public. Even the school entertainments are being ticked off, one by one, and in the most social time of the year, there's a great dearth of social news.

Of course, there are always the Christmas engagements and that reminds me: if you want your engagement in the day after Christmas keep it a surprise from everybody else but me. Next Monday's the deadline.



Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rinaldi
(Staff Photo by Arnold)

Rinaldis honored at golden wedding parties

HENRYVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rinaldi celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house and buffet lunch for 200 friends and relatives on Sunday at the Stroud Township Municipal Building, North Fifth St., Stroudsburg.

They have four children: Mary and Dennis of Henryville; Rose of Bangor, and Leonard Jr. of Andover, N.J. They also have 14 grandchildren, two of whom are serving in the U.S. Army, and one great grandchild.

A dinner in honor of the Rinaldis was held at the Pen N Sword by their children, Mr.

Rinaldi sang "Silver Threads Among the Gold" to his wife, first in English and then in Italian.

In his anniversary prayer, Rinaldi said "Heavenly Father, we thank Thee for this privilege of our families gathering here today. We thank Thee for this food we are about to partake, and we thank Thee for this privilege of keeping us together that we are able to celebrate our 50th anniversary. Bless us all as we go through life. We ask this in Jesus name."

The Rinaldis were married on Dec. 14 in the Evangelical Church in Bangor by the late Rev. C. Wolff.

Calendar Of Events

Wednesday, December 18
Pleasant Valley Elementary PTA at Chestnut Hill school, 7:30 p.m.

Women's Society of Christian Service, Mount Pocono United Methodist Church in Fellowship Hall, 8:30 p.m.

Some gifts have arrived in Vietnam

CANADENSIS — Thank you letters from several servicemen in Vietnam who have already received the Christmas packages sent by the American Legion Aux. of Evans Blitz Post 922 to each local man serving overseas were read at the Christmas meeting held at the Legion Home, Spruce Cabin Road, Canadensis.

Amelia Baker, chairman of the spaghetti supper held in November, reported that 235 diners had been served and that the dinner had been financially successful. A Christmas party was held after the business meeting and gifts were exchanged. Refreshments were served by Wilma Curnoles, Mary Campbell, Harriet Costanzo, Lola Storm, Madeline Wescott and Beverly Varvel.

Lodge social

STROUDSBURG — The Christmas social will follow the meeting of the Daughters of America on Friday night at 8 at the Odd Fellows Hall. There will be an exchange of dollar gifts and refreshments.

Bake sale by Band Boosters of Pocono Mountain High School at Christmas concert at the school.

Monroe Council, Republican Women, Stroud Community House, 2 p.m.

La Leche League at home of Mrs. Robert Entwistle off Tanite Road, Stroudsburg, 8 p.m.

Phoenix Players, Motel Inn Towne, bring guests, 8 p.m.

W.S.C.S., Arlington Wesley Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m.

Elk's Belles Christmas Party, Elk Club, 7:30 p.m.

Clearview School entertainment and Christmas open house, 7:30 p.m.

Leisure Hour Club joins MORA for Christmas party, YMCA, 2 p.m.

Thursday, December 19
Senior Citizens, covered dish dinner, 1 p.m. at C.O.U. Club, East Stroudsburg.

Monroe County Garden Club, YMCA, 2 p.m.

Mt. Zion W.S.C.S. at church, 7 p.m.

Friday, December 20
Ever-Welcome Class, Christ Hamilton Church, at home of Mrs. Claire Singer, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of America, Odd Fellows Hall, Stroudsburg, 8 p.m.

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Family Fare

By Bobby Westbrook

Gary Kresge in one-man art show in New York

NEW YORK — A one-man show of oil paintings by Gary Kresge, a graduate of Stroudsburg High School, who exhibited in the Wyckoff Art Shows here. He studied with Robert Logan, local artist.

A former employee of the International Boiler Works, he left there to serve in the U.S. Marines. As a farewell gift, his fellow employees gave him a painting set.

The show, which is reviewed in the December Art News, is termed a "Skillful exhibit of oils...mostly of sea coast scenes" and prizes them for their "drama" and "Brooding Atmosphere."

The galleries are open Mondays through Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Doyle-Getz marriage held at Reeders Church

SCIOTA — Mrs. Margaret Getz, Sciota, and William Doyle, also of Sciota, were married at noon on Sunday, Dec. 15, in the Reeders Methodist Church.

Rev. Alan Taylor officiated at the quiet ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leader of Snyderderville served as attendants.

Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner for a few close relatives and friends was held at Linden Court, Sciota.

Mrs. Doyle is employed by LeMar Fashions, Sciota. Her husband is employed by Frank Young, Contractor. They are making their home in Sciota.

Christmas tableau for Altar, Rosary

EAST STROUDSBURG — The spirit of Christmas was brought forth by the "Christmas Tableau" presented by St. Matthew's school chorus to an appreciative audience at the December meeting of St. Luke's St. Matthew's Altar and Rosary Society. Included in the show were scenes of a toy shop, shepherds, angels, wise men and the Nativity.

Program chairman was Miss Marie Brown.

A brief business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Giovanni Dalesio. It was announced that Rev. Francis Barrett has been appointed moderator for the Monroe-Bike Decey.

Mrs. Clifford Petersen, chairman of ways and means for December accepted contributions for the Father Esuff and migrant workers' funds in exchange for Christmas wrapped gifts. Any further donations for these funds will be accepted until April.

County Commissioner Nancy Shukaitis will be featured at the Jan. 15 meeting, speaking on "Government is Everybody's Business." Monsignor Cawley led both opening and closing prayers.

Refreshments were served from a table decorated with a green tablecloth draped with green netting and gold garland. The manger scene was the centerpiece for the tea table. The holiday theme was carried out with poinsettias and candle arrangements at each table. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, Mrs. Charles Hansen, and Mrs. John Zwiek.

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Miss Verna Heim

Miss Heim engaged

SAYLORSBURG — Mrs. Ethel Heim of Saylorburg announces the engagement of her daughter, Verna Elizabeth, to Gerald Lipyanc, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lipyanc, 523 Parson St., Easton.

Miss Heim, whose father was the late Irwin Heim, is a graduate of Stroudsburg High School in the class of 1968, and is attending the Stroudsburg School of Cosmetology.

Her fiancé attended Easton Area High School and is employed by Rineck Cordage Co., Easton.

No-name club at Rinaldi home

HENRYVILLE — Mrs. Dennis Rinaldi of Henryville Rd. was hostess to the No-Name Club of St. Paul's United Church of Christ, Swiftwater at its annual Christmas party.

Those present were Mr. Dennis Rinaldi, Alta Coffman, Louise Hess, Carol Davis, Polly Metzgar, Joan Hardenstine, Marianne Weisshuhn, Jennie Simpson, Grace Kresge, Ida Neyhart and Thorma Spencer.

The school auditorium had been decorated by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boeth, Mr. and Mrs. James Chamberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hoke. Refreshments were served in the cafeteria by Mrs. Ronald Clapper and her committee.

The Candy Tree awarded the room with the most parents and teachers present when to Mrs. Mary's second grade. Mrs. Richard Primrose won the door prize.

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Piano pupils in recital on Sunday

BLAIRSTOWN — A Sunday afternoon program at the First Methodist Church of Blairstown, N.J. featured the piano students of Mrs. Eleanor Bender, Stroudsburg, in an unusual program of solos, duets and trios. Even the audience joined in singing a number of the Christmas carols.

The program opened with a trio, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" by the Becker children—Jim at the trombone, Tom on the saxophone, and Susan at the piano.

There were three brother and sister duets. Tom and Susan Becker played "Toyland." "The March of the Toy Soldiers" was done by Chris and Jay High. Linda and Pamela Frace played "My Wild Irish Rose."

Soloists were Robin Seidel, Jack and David Costa, John Doan, Louise Ewing, John Bender, Ann Kus, Heil Phillips, Mark Kohlman, Judy Taylor, Edith DeBlock, Mary Beth Crane, and the Fraces, Highs and Beckers who also played duets.

A trio, "Cantelena" was played by Ralph Bender, violin; Christine Butler, cello; and Mrs. Bender at the piano. Miss Butler, Paula Shelley, flute; and Tom Becker, piano played "Santa Lucia."

A social hour with refreshments was held after the program.

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No-program program



"The letter begins, 'I consider you a soul mate.' Now right away any fool knows that spells misery. It continues, 'I have the January program for my sorority and wondered if you could help me with the topic. It is, 'What are women doing to improve daily living?'"

As I considered my answer, my mind reverted to a movement I have long considered to have some merit: the no-program program. This is not some whipsy, fly-by-night theory of mine. I have been considering it since the night three years ago when I attended a Mothers' Meeting and endured a 35-minute film on "The Birth of a Bog."

Even the program chairman knew she had run in a dog, "Honest, Girls," she said later. "I contacted Richard Burton, Adella Rogers St. John, Vice President Humphrey and the State Department on Wild Life. The State Department on Wild Life was the only one who acted interested. No kidding, I thought the movie sounded sexy. Coming from the department of Wild Life and all, and having birth in the title. How was I to know it was about some crummy, dead trees?"

It wasn't her fault. It's the nemesis of program chairman everywhere who strain to



provide a stimulating program on a limited budget.

"Am I that desperate to get away from the kids for a few hours? Am I so close to the brink of despair? You bet your sweet bird I am."

So why not a no-meeting? One where women gather and talk about who hasn't arrived yet. Who can carp about their husbands and exchange horror stories about their children. Who can eat fattening desserts and drink coffee that's going to keep them awake all night. Who can go home dull, uninspired, uninformed... but happy.

I'm sorry to get off the subject but this seemed to be the place for it. Now as to the January program of this poor soul in "What are women doing to improve daily living?" I'd suggest you stand up and say, "We're breathing, aren't we?" Then spend the remainder of the meeting drinking to that. It'll be the best no-meeting you never had.

Monroe second in drive

STROUDSBURG — Carl Secor of Stroudsburg, president of the Tuberculosis and Health Society of Northeast Pennsylvania announced Tuesday that Bradford-Sullivan counties Tuberculosis societies are leading the Christmas seal race in the 10 counties of the district.

The range in the percentage of last year's total campaign received to date is led by Bradford-Sullivan with a high of 87 per cent to Lackawanna which has 63.1 per cent.

Other county percentages are: Monroe, 81.1; Wayne, 77.4; Pike, 82.5; Tioga, 86.9; Susquehanna, 74.1; Wyoming, 70.5; Upper Luzerne, 65.6.

In Monroe County, \$12,153 has been received as against a final total of \$14,980 last year. Secor reported.

A reminder will be mailed the day after Christmas to those who have not responded to the original appeal mailed in early November.

Christmas seals are used to fight tuberculosis, air pollution, emphysema and other chest diseases and contributing conditions.

Mass of Fords

In 1968, the Ford Motor Car Company introduced quantity production. The production of the Model T rose from 10,000 cars in 1909 to more than 2 million in 1923.

Blaiberg shows way to heart patients

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — Each new day is a bonus for Philip Blaiberg. It takes him farther along a path no living being has ever trod before.

Blaiberg is the world's longest-living heart transplant patient. His continued survival is charting a course for hundreds and perhaps thousands likely to die from heart disease.

Some heart transplant patients are falling by the wayside, but the bald, chubby retired dentist is striding into the unknown. Nearing the end of his first year of extended and rejuvenated life, Blaiberg is making plans for the future.

When he got his new heart he was bedridden and fighting for breath with perhaps days to live.

Now he is arranging a trip overseas and living life as fully as can be expected for a man of 59 who has undergone major surgery followed by serious setbacks.

Cape Town sprang into the world spotlight when, early Sunday, Dec. 3, 1967, Dr. Christiaan Barnard transplanted a young woman's heart into Louis Washkansky, 53.

This pioneer operation captured the imagination of millions and the news soon leaked that Blaiberg was to be Barnard's second patient.

Arrangements were made to sneak Blaiberg into Groote Schuur Hospital Dec. 16, a public holiday. A deterioration in his condition forced doctors to admit him Dec. 14, but they succeeded in getting him into the hospital unseen.

The next day Blaiberg met Barnard for the first time.

Six days later the lean, boyish-looking surgeon broke the news to him that Washkansky had died from pneumonia.

Blaiberg, clutching at a straw, chose to go through with his own treatment.

On Jan. 2 Barnard took the heart of a child, Clive Haupt, 24, who died from a brain hemorrhage, and grafted it into Blaiberg's chest.

The new heart started beating spontaneously.

Only 16 of the first 50 heart transplant patients are alive. The survival rate of the next 50 is at this stage much better, but time almost inevitably will take its toll.

Blaiberg has twice since his operation been on the brink of death.

In early June hepatitis had him critically ill. A month later, still weak from the hepatitis, lung complications almost killed him.

Blaiberg describes himself as a fatalist, living for the present. He has learned to enjoy every moment to the maximum. He swims at Cape Town's beaches and pools, drives his own car and has become a regular visitor to the Three Arts Theater.

Recently he and his wife Eileen had a two-week holiday at the seaside resort of Hermanus, 100 miles from Cape Town.

"We needed that," he said. "Eileen and I were both clapped out (exhausted). It was our first holiday in three years."

"I am so well it is marvelous. The doctors are not worrying much about me mixing with crowds. We can go to shows, whatever we want."

Blaiberg plans an extended holiday with his wife and daughter, Jill, 21, to South America, the United States and Europe.

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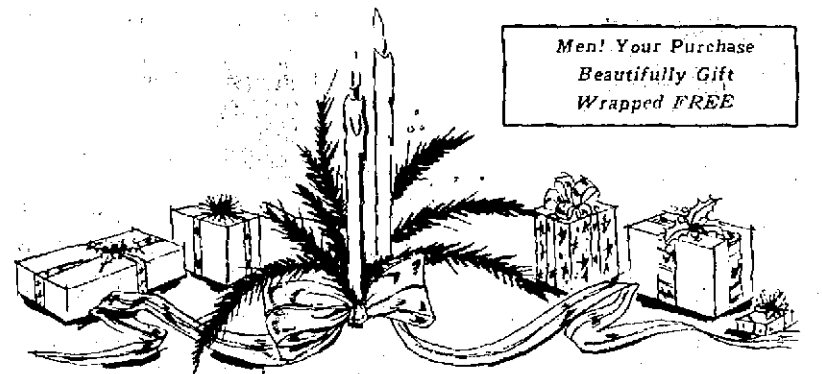
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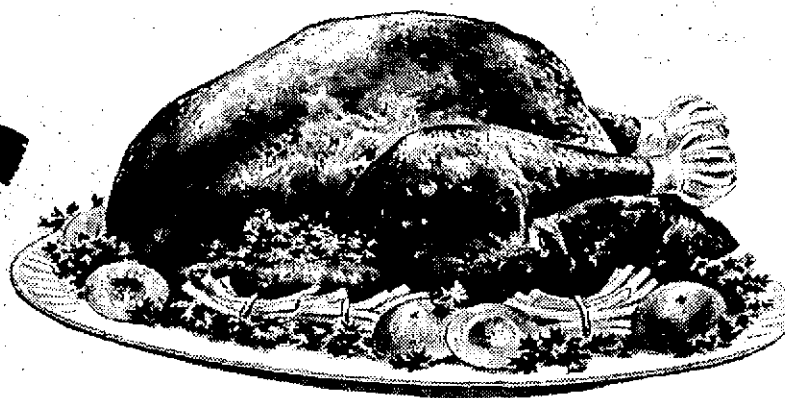
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Jean Simmons and Richard Burton co-star in the motion picture adaptation of Lloyd C. Douglas' classic novel *The Robe*, to be presented in color on ABC-TV today at 8:30 p.m.

Today's movies

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| 4:30 — (4) THE FAST LADY (C) — Julie Christie, James Robertson. | 1:00 (7) SUNDOWN — Gene Tierney, George Sanders, Bruce Cabot. |
| (7) HOW TO BE VERY, VERY POPULAR (C) — Betty Grable, Robert Cummings, Sheree North, Orson Bean. | 1:15 (4) JUNGLE MAN HUNT — Johnny Weissmuller, Bob Waterfield. |
| (28) DEVIL'S DOORWAY — Robert Taylor, Louis Calhern, Paula Raymond. | 1:40 (10) CANYON RIVER (C) — George Montgomery, Marcia Henderson. |
| 8:30 (6, 7) THE ROBE (C) — Richard Burton, Jean Simmons, Victor Mature, Michael Rennie. | 2:00 (2) THE INCREDIBLE SHRINKING MAN — Grant Williams, Randy Stuart. |
| 11:30 (2) MOULIN ROUGE (C) — Jose Ferrer, Zsa Zsa Gabor. | 3:35 (2) ONE DESIRE (C) — Anne Baxter, Rock Hudson, Julie Adams, Natalie Wood. |
| (9) FURY AT SMUGGLER'S BAY (C) — Peter Cushing, John Fraser, Michele Mercier, Bernard Lee. | |
| (11) LOVE FROM A STRANGER — Sylvia Sydney, John Hodiak, John Howard, Ann Richards. | |
| 11:40 (10) DESK SET (C) — Spencer Tracy, Katherine Hepburn, Gig Young. | |

Tonight's program log

PRAGUE: THE SUMMER OF THE TANKS — Channel 3 at 10 p.m. The Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia this past August will be depicted by action film photographed on the scene.

Channel 39 presents

Evening

6:00 What's New — "Science Fare"

6:30 *Misterogers' Neighborhood* — "Magic"

7:00 *Operation Alphabet* —

Today's sports

9:30 — 9 — NBA Basketball, N. Y. Knicks at Boston Celtics

11:00 — 11 — AFL Highlights

"Learning to Read and Write"

7:30 *Ski School* — "Basics"

8:00 *The Changing Of The Guard* — "New York Times Review"

9:00 *The Rite Of Spring* — "NET Festival"

10:00 *The World We Live In* — "The Riddle of Heredity"

10:30 *The Big Picture* — "Army Pictorial Report"

11:00 Sign Off

CROSSWORD - - - By Eugene Sheffer

HORIZONTAL	52. Solemn wonder	VERTICAL	1. Turkish coin	9. Roman poet
1. Skin mouth	54. Turkish regiment	2. Persian poet	10. Split	11. Fruit drinks
3. Speck	55. Church	3. Western city	19. Therefore	19. Therefore
8. Bull bird	56. Thing in law	4. Last	23. Antitoxin	23. Antitoxin
12. So be it	57. Don	5. Stripped ingredient	25. Varnish	25. Varnish
13. Wrath	58. Fermented drink	6. Money of account	26. Ingratious language	26. Ingratious language
14. Greedily eager	59. French article	7. Camp shelter	27. Deface	27. Deface
15. Low, stony ridge	60. Being	8. Large desert	29. Without title	29. Without title
16. Carling vehicle		30. Chinese tea	31. A habum	31. A habum
17. A swarm		32. Consume	32. Consume	32. Consume
18. Stir up		33. Combined	33. Combined	33. Combined
20. Barters		38. Cat's land	38. Cat's land	38. Cat's land
22. Scottish arctic navigator		42. Note in scale	42. Note in scale	42. Note in scale
24. Symbol for erbium		43. Bang	43. Bang	43. Bang
25. A fruit		44. European	44. European	44. European
28. A fester		45. Girl's name	45. Girl's name	45. Girl's name
33. Girl's name		46. Nobleman	46. Nobleman	46. Nobleman
34. An age		48. Exclamation	48. Exclamation	48. Exclamation
35. Hawk		49. Japanese porgies	49. Japanese porgies	49. Japanese porgies
36. An abrasive		53. Ireland	53. Ireland	53. Ireland
39. Engraved		59. Tinty	59. Tinty	59. Tinty
40. Negative reply				
41. Simple				
43. To straddle				
47. Envoy				
51. Plunder				

Answer to yesterday's puzzle

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Average time of solution: 25 minutes.

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip—COLD, RAW WEATHER STARTS HEAD COLDS.

Today's TV log

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| MORNING | 2:30—2:10 Guiding Light |
| 8:30—11 The Mighty Hercules | 3:42 Doctors |
| 9:00—2:28 Leave It To Beaver | 6:7 Dating Game |
| 3 Contact (C) | 3:00—2:10 Secret Storm |
| 4 For Women Only (C) | 3:42 Another World |
| 5 East Side Comedy | 5 Woody Woodbury |
| 6 Cartoon Castle (C) | 6:7 General Hospital |
| 9 Romper Room (C) | 9 Divorce Court |
| 10 Pixanne (C) | 11 Cartoons |
| 11 Underdog (C) | 12 Spectrum |
| 9:30—2 Donna Reed Show | 12 Edge of Night |
| 4 Joan Rivers (C) | 3:42 You Don't Say |
| 6 Bewitched (C) | 5 Cartoons |
| 10 Dennis The Menace | 6 Steve Allen |
| 11 Jack LaLanne (C) | 7 One Life to Live |
| 12 Madison Project | 9 Movie |
| 9:50—12 Magical Talking Machine | 11 Speed Racer |
| 10:00—2:10 The Lucy Show | 12 Discovery |
| 3:42 Snap Judgment | 2:10 House Party |
| 5 Outer Limits | 3:42 Match Game |
| 6 Funny You Should Ask | 5 Cartoons |
| 7 Girl Talk (C) | 7 Dark Shadows |
| 9 Joe Franklin (C) | 9 Movie |
| 11 Movie | 11 Three Stooges |
| 10:05—12 Our Universe | 12 Roundabout |
| 10:25—3:42 News (C) | 2 Mike Douglas |
| 6 Children's Doctor | 3 Merv Griffin |
| 10:30—2:10 Beverly Hillsbillies | 4:7 Movie |
| 3:42 Concentration | 10 Sea Hunt |
| 6:7 Dick Cavett Show | 11 Superman |
| 12 Cover To Cover | 12 Sing Hi, Sing Lo |
| 10:50—12 Malt | 28 Movie |
| 11:00—2:10 Andy Griffith Show | 5:00—5 Flintstones |
| 3:42 Personality | 6 Jerry's Place |
| 2:10 Dick Van Dyke | 9 Make Room for Daddy |
| 3:42 Hollywood Squares | 10 I Spy (C) |
| 5 Dear Alan | 11 Munsters |
| 9 Journey to Adventure | 12 Misterogers |
| 11 Kimba | 5:30—5 Sea Hunt |
| AFTERNOON | 6 Dark Shadows (C) |
| 12:00—2:10 Love of Life | 9 Real McCoy's |
| 3 News | 11 Batman (C) |
| 4 Jeopardy | 12 What's New? |
| 5 Movie | EVENING |
| 6 Paul Harvey | 6:00—2:30 News |
| 7 Bewitched | 5 McHale's Navy |
| 11 Cartoons | 9 Gilligan's Island |
| 12 Musical Interlude | 11 F Troop |
| 12:06—6 On Camera | 12 French Chef |
| 2:10 Search for Tomorrow (C) | 6:30—3:6-7-20 News (C) |
| 3 Mike Douglas | 5 My Favorite Martian |
| 4:28 Eye Guess | 9 I Spy |
| 5 Movie | 11 Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea |
| 6:7 Treasure Island | 12 On Guard |
| 9 Movie | 2:30-4:7-10 News |
| 11 Little Rascals | 5 I Love Lucy |
| 1:00—2:10 The Farmer's Daughter | 6 What's My Line? |
| 4 P.D.Q. | 11 F Troop |
| 5 Movie | 12 High School of the Air |
| 6:7 Dream House | 2:10 Dakarti |
| 11 Cartoons | 3:42 The Virginian |
| 12 The Communists | 5 Truth or Consequences |
| 28 Divorce Court | 6:7 Here Come The Brides |
| 1:30—2:10 As The World Turns (C) | 9 Steve Allen |
| 4 Let's Make A Deal | 11 Rat Patrol |
| 5 Cartoons | 12 Playing the Guitar |
| 6 Street Where You Live | 8:00—5 Pay Cards |
| 7 Funny You Should Ask | 11 Run For Your Life |
| 9 Whirlbirds | 12 News |
| 11 Burns And Allen | 8:30—2:10 Good Guys |
| 12 French I | 5 Merv Griffin |
| 2:00—2:10 Love Is A Many Splendored Thing (C) | 6:7 Movie |
| 3:42 Days of Our Lives | 9:00—2:10 Beverly Hillsbillies |
| 5 Skitch Henderson | 3:42 Kraft Music Hall |
| 6:7 Newlywed Game | 6:7 Movie |
| 9 Loretta Young | 9 Twilight Zone |
| 11 Perfect Match | 12 News |
| | 12 Westminster Abbey |
| | 9:30—2:10 Green Acres |
| | 9 NBA Basketball |
| | 11 Password |
| | 10:00—2:10 Jonathan Winters |
| | 3:42 Summer of the Tanks |
| | 5 News |
| | 11 Perry Mason |
| | 12 Wednesday at 10 |
| | 3:42-6:7-10-20 News |
| | 5 Donald O'Connor |
| | 12 Delaware Tonight |
| | 11:15—2 Movie |
| | 3:42 Johnny Carson |
| | 11:35—6:7 Joey Bishop |

Nuns and Baptists

VALLEY FORGE, Pa. (AP)—Singing nuns of the Medical Mission Sisters, led by Sister Miriam Therese Winter, provided music for "coffee house" morning worship services at a meeting of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society here.

"Baptist, Lutherans, the United Church have taken us right in," says Sister Miriam. "Finally, even Catholics are beginning to accept us."

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. Jay Becker

East dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
 ♠ 975
 ♥ J9
 ♦ KQ943
 ♣ K62

WEST
 ♠ QJ8
 ♥ AK853
 ♦ 72
 ♣ A84

EAST
 ♠ 2
 ♥ 10762
 ♦ J86
 ♣ Q1093

SOUTH
 ♠ AK10843
 ♥ 4
 ♦ A105
 ♣ J76

The bidding:
 East Pass 1 ♠
 South 4 ♠
 West 2 ♥
 North 2 ♣

Opening lead—king of hearts. This deal occurred in a duplicate tournament and is highly instructive because it demonstrates, in a very simple way, the overwhelming importance of partnership cooperation on defense.

At twelve tables South became declarer in spades. At all but one of these he made ten tricks, losing a spade, a heart and a club.

The defense usually started with the king of hearts—East signaling with the six or seven—followed by the ace of hearts, which South ruffed.

Declarer cashed the A-K of trumps, East showing out, then proceeded to run his diamonds. It did not matter when West

elected to ruff; the only other trick for his side was the ace of clubs.

At the one table where South was held to nine tricks, East showed considerable foresight by playing the deuce of hearts on the opening lead of the king. East reasoned that West must have at least five hearts for his overall, which meant that South could have at most a singleton. A heart continuation would therefore be futile.

The play of the deuce requested West to stop playing hearts. In view of dummy's diamond holding, it became obvious to West that East was directing a club shift.

Accordingly, West led the ace of clubs, and, when East signaled with the ten, continued with a club. Declarer went up with the king and drew two rounds of trumps.

South then led the A-K-Q of diamonds, hoping to discard his jack of clubs on the fourth round of diamonds, but West ruffed the third diamond and led back a club to defeat four spades one trick.

The hand shows how vital it is for the defenders to work together as a team. East pointed the defense in the right direction with his play of the deuce of hearts, and West showed his faith in partner by switching to a club and leading clubs twice thereafter without ever attempting to cash the ace of hearts.

E and F

EB, REMEMBER YOU WANTED ONE GOOD REASON WHY WE SHOULD GET RID OF OUR OLD CAR AND BUY A NEW ONE?

YES

HERE!

Dick Tracy

AT LEAST I'M GETTING PLENTY OF OXYGEN.

BUT IN A BLIZZARD, IN A PAIR OF COVERALLS, YOU DON'T FEEL OVER-DRESSED.

I'M JUST SICK ABOUT IT! WHAT A CHRISTMAS PACKAGE FOR TESS AND BONNIE BRAIDS!

COME! SWALLOWED UP!

I THINK I KNOW TRACY. HE'S NOT GOING OUT LIKE THIS. GOTRACY! SOMEBODY, SOMEWHERE HE'S—

Blondie

DADDY, GUESS WHAT... I'M GOING TO THE DANCE WITH HAROLD.

BUT I JUST HEARD YOU TELL HIM ON THE PHONE THAT YOU WOULDN'T GO WITH HIM!

A GIRL CAN'T ANXIOUS.

I'LL WAIT'LL HE CALLS TWO MORE TIMES, THEN I'LL SAY "YES"

THE KID'S A GAMBLER.

Beetle Bailey

A BOX FROM THE PENTAGON.

HEY! HEY!

THIS PROBABLY HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH THAT FULL REPORT ON OUR ACTIVITIES I SENT THEM

TICK TICK TICK

Archie

JUGHEAD IS IMPOSSIBLE! HE ALWAYS WANTS TO DANCE CLOSE!

DOESN'T HE KNOW ANY OF THE NEW STEPS?

SURE, BUT HE STILL DRIFTS AWAY!

YOU JUST SAID HE WANTS TO DANCE CLOSE!

YES!

TO THE FOOD!

Snuffy Smith

I OUGHT TO PATCH THAT DADBURN ROOF WHILE IT AIN'T RAININ'!

BUT IF I DONE THAT I'D MISS TH' CARD GAME OVER IN LUKEY'S BARN THIS AFTERNOON.

BIZNESS BEFORE PLEASURE, PAW!

Buz Sawyer

WHAT'S YOUR NAME? SAWYER?

HEY, WAKE UP! COME TO, I TELL YOU!

BEEN SHOT... HELP ME!

BUT I CAN'T! THIS IS DUPE'S HOUSE, THE ONE WHO PROBABLY SHOT YOU. HE'LL BE BACK ANY MINUTE.

IF HE FOUND YOU HERE, HE'D KILL US BOTH... HEY, DON'T PASS OUT... YOU GOTTA GET OUTTA HERE!

Tiger

HUGO, YOU'RE SO BIG AND STRONG...

I BET YOU CAN FIX MY PURSE!

SURE

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH IT?

IT'S SO EMPTY!

The Phantom

OH—

DON'T WASTE BREATH YELLING, NOBODY'LL HEAR YOU.

WHY'D YOU FOLLOW US?

I DIDN'T—

DON'T LIE! YOUR HEAD WAS PARKED BY FLAT-TOP MOUNTAIN. WE SAW YOU—

ER—I WAS LOST IN THE DESERT. NO ROAD OUT THERE. WHEN I SAW YOUR PLANE, I FOLLOWED—THANK YOU—

SHE WAS LOST—SHE THANKS US—UH—WHAT DO YOU THINK, TOFF?

I DUNNO—

TOMORROW—DECISION!

Smattering of dissent appears in Pakistan

RAWALPINDI, Pakistan (AP) — The students who stormed into a jewelry shop had only one request.

"We just want the picture of President Ayub on the wall," one said.

The proprietor complied, and the picture that had adorned his shop since Mohammad Ayub Khan came to power 10 years ago was taken outside and ripped to pieces amid a chorus of cheers from hundreds of demonstrators.

Two months ago, few persons would have dared desecrate Ayub's picture—or speak publicly against him.

Now, almost daily, crowds shout "Ayub Hai Hai"—death to Ayub—and beat their breasts in

mock mourning as they demand political and educational reforms, release of political detainees and freedom of the press.

Stone-throwing mobs, many made up of boys no more than 10 years old, discreetly seek out a variety of targets associated with the government—signboards advocating family planning, telephone exchanges, buses, pro-Ayub newspaper offices.

High-ranking officials have blamed the unprecedented agitation on "hooligans and miscreants" and opposition political leaders.

Ayub himself told newsmen he thought the students were being misled by street urchins and hooligans.

But many informed observers believe the demonstrations since early November show widespread discontent underestimated at first by the government.

These observers say the unrest had been building up for about six years as a result of a feeling that Ayub's economic and political policies benefited only a small percentage of the population—although they helped end the disarray that existed before he took over.

Economically there has been impressive industrial and agricultural development, for which Ayub is credited because of his emphasis on pragmatic planning, but there is still much poverty.

Politically, it is felt Ayub has failed to create any wide base of popular support. He relies instead on his own Pakistan Muslim League, which has few working cadre. His over-all support has come from the military that brought him to power, from senior civil servants and industrialists.

It looks as if the masses—the professional class, laborers, small-business men—have become especially disenchanted during the past year as prices of key commodities rose steeply or, as in the case of sugar, became scarce.

"It is difficult to find someone outside the government who speaks favorably of Ayub now," said one diplomat.

The president has given no indication whether he will run for a third term but insists the government won't be cowed by agitation.

Six weeks after the antigovernment demonstrations started, and despite concessions Ayub has made to students, no end to the protests is in sight.

Tract purchased

STROUDSBURG — Allen W. and Janice Burrowbridge, Caldwell, N.J., have purchased a 42.53-acre tract in Middle Smithfield Township for \$25,000 from Henry and Florence S. Melnick, West Long Branch, N.J., according to a deed filed Monday.

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(Staff Photo by Arnold)

Merged Boy Scout council picks William Wyckoff vep

BETHLEHEM — William S. Wyckoff of Stroudsburg Monday night was elected a vice president of the newly organized Minsi Trail Boy Scout Council when it met in Holiday Inn-East, Bethlehem.

The newly organized council also made nine appointments of scouts to new posts.

They were: James McLaughlin of Fullerton, a district commissioner; John Tihansky of Fullerton, activities chairman; Truman Newhart of Tobyhanna, adult leadership training chairman; Albert Bertolo of Easton, camping chairman; James Guider of Bethlehem, advancement chairman; Judge Donald Wied of Allentown, council activities chairman; Frank Barnako of Bethlehem, health and safety; and William McVicar of Bethlehem, camp properties chairman.

The new council represents the merger of Delaware Valley Area and Lehigh-Bethlehem Area Councils. The three currently have a record membership of 13,574 boys.

A breakdown is as follows:



William S. Wyckoff

Delaware Valley Area, 3,988; Bethlehem Area, 2,808, and Lehigh Council, 6,758.

Donald Miller, reporting for the office study committee, said the council is looking for quarters which, the committee hopes, will be centrally located in the three-council area.

Atty. Nathan Reisman of

Easton, legal committee chairman, said all legal matters entailed in the merger will be completed by the end of this month.

Bertolo received approval of his committee's schedule for concurrent six-week summer encampments at Camp Minsi and the Trexler Boy Scout Reservation, starting the weekend of June 28.

The staffs of the two camps will have a 10-day training period preceding the encampments.

A councilwide membership meeting is being arranged for Jan. 6 when the council's specific programs and goals for 1969 and the next eight years will be unveiled. The place of the meeting has not yet been set.

H. VanAuken services held

EAST STROUDSBURG — Funeral services for Howard H. VanAuken, 72, of 305 S. Courtland St., East Stroudsburg, were held Tuesday in the Lanterman Funeral Home with the Rev. Samuel Hufford officiating.

Burial was in Stroudsburg Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Stewart Marsh, Robert Allen, Oren Shively and Frank E. Lanterman.

Hospital notes

Births

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Counterman, Port Dix, N.J.

Admissions

Dr. Joseph McElowney, Buck Hill Falls; Jerome Blakeslee Jr., Stroudsburg R.D. 1; Chester Phillips, Stroudsburg; Mrs. Violet Heitman, East Stroudsburg; Alvin Geake, Bangor; Mrs. Sylvia Burch, Cresco, and Alexander Flower, East Stroudsburg.

Discharges

Mrs. Joyce Kulp and son, Mount Bethel R.D. 1; Eric Brown, Canadensis; Joseph Shook, Bangor; Joseph Baux, East Stroudsburg; Joseph Harrington, Bristol; Wayne Mitchell, East Stroudsburg; Mrs. Lillian Edmondson, East Stroudsburg R.D. 2; Robert Cooke Sr., Stroudsburg; Mrs. Bertha Haldimann, Blairtown, N.J., and Mrs. Carrie Bonser, East Stroudsburg.

No definite service time

EAST STROUDSBURG — Funeral services for Mrs. Louise L. McLaren, 82, of Cherry Valley, who died Monday night in the General Hospital of Monroe County, will be held at the convenience of the family.

Burial will be private.

In addition to her husband, Myron, at home, she is survived by a brother, Walter Leonard, Stroudsburg.

Lanterman Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Funeral Notices

McCLINTOCK, Mrs. Margaret L. of South Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 14, Age 53. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 11 a.m. from the St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, South Plainfield. Interment in the Evergreen Memorial Cemetery, East Stroudsburg. Viewing Monday 7 to 9 p.m. and Tuesday 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME 400 Franklin Place Plainfield, N. J.

RATAYCZAK, Franz A. of New Brunswick, Dec. 15, 1908, age 54. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 10 a.m. from St. Anna's Roman Catholic Church, Tobyhanna. Interment in St. Catherine's Cemetery, Moscow. Viewing Tuesday after 7 p.m.

PREY

TANSEY, Patrick Joseph of Buck Hill Falls, Dec. 14, Age 65. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Wednesday, Dec. 18, at 10 a.m. from St. Luke's Roman Catholic Church, Stroudsburg. Interment in the Gales of Heaven section of Laurelwood Cemetery. Viewing Tuesday after 7 p.m.

CLARK

MAGER, Mrs. Anna L. of Stroudsburg RD 3, Dec. 15, 1908, age 82. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Thursday, Dec. 19, at 2 p.m. in the Gathorn Funeral Home, Tannersville. Interment in St. John's Lutheran Cemetery, Saylonsville. Viewing Wednesday after 7 p.m.

GANTZBORN

MICHAEL, Mrs. Edith M. of East Stroudsburg, Dec. 16, 1908, age 90. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Thursday, Dec. 19, at 2 p.m. in the Zion Lutheran Church, Middle Smithfield Township. Interment in Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Middle Smithfield Township. Viewing Wednesday after 7 p.m.

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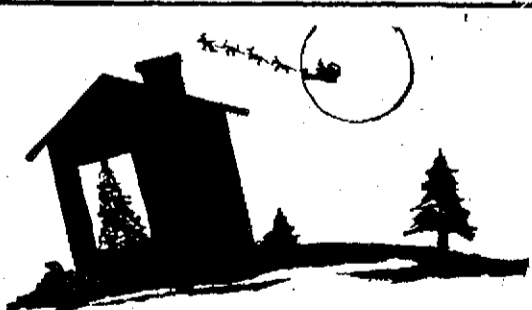
McLAREN, Mrs. Louise L. of Cherry Valley, Dec. 16, 1908, age 82. Funeral services will be held at the convenience of the family.

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Selection of the active undergraduate recipients will be decided by the Student Activity Association Scholarship Committee comprised of four students and four faculty members.

Ray Keiper's services held

BRODHEADSVILLE — Funeral services for Ray Burton Keiper, 54, of Long Pond, were held Tuesday afternoon in the Kresge Funeral Home with the Rev. Kenneth Gay officiating.

Burial was in the Long Pond Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Harold Altomose, Walter Leuten, Thomas Coleman, Allen Keiper, Ernest Franks and Ike Henning.

The committee will be headed by the Vice President of the Student Senate.

The only qualifications placed on applicants is the evidence of satisfactory academic standing and the completion of two full semesters of study at ESSC.

ESSC's Student Senate can be credited with the creation of this program. They formed a committee within the Senate to explore the plan.

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Speed: 90 Km/h (55.92 mph) (CUNA).
Fuel consumption: 2.2 lt. 2% oil mixture to 100 Km. (107.5 mls/US gal.; 129.2 mls/imp. gal.) (CUNA). Maximum climbing gradient: 34% Range: 350 Km. (217.5 mls.)

Control center directors hike radio operators pay

STROUDSBURG — East Stroudsburg-Stroudsburg Control Center board of directors Monday night voted to give radio operators an hourly pay increase.

Salaries ranged from \$1.75 to \$2 per hour and will be increased, starting Jan. 1, 1969, from \$2 to \$2.25 per hour.

The board also voted to

increase Stroudsburg Police Chief John B. Tretheway's salary from \$35 a month to \$50 a month.

In other action, the board voted to hold regular meetings every other month, starting with February, on the last Monday of the month. The time will be 7 p.m. and the meeting will be in Stroudsburg Municipal Building.

Weather pattern



EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
Sunny and seasonable today. High is 30s and low 40s. Fair and not so cold tonight. Thursday, increasing cloudiness and milder.

NEW YORK
Mostly sunny today. High near 30. Fair and not so cold tonight. Thursday, increasing cloudiness and milder.

ATLANTIC CITY
Mostly sunny and milder today. High in the upper 30s to mid 40s. Fair and not so cold tonight. Low in the mid 20s to low 30s.

TEMPERATURES ACROSS THE NATION

Kansas City	45
Los Angeles	74
Atlanta	72
Milwaukee	37
New Orleans	58
New York	42
Philadelphia	44
San Francisco	52
Seattle	44
St. Louis	50
Washington	44

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1 a.m.-25	1 p.m.-38
2 a.m.-24	2 p.m.-39
3 a.m.-24	3 p.m.-37
4 a.m.-24	4 p.m.-36
5 a.m.-23	5 p.m.-35
6 a.m.-22	6 p.m.-34
7 a.m.-21	7 p.m.-32
8 a.m.-20	8 p.m.-31
9 a.m.-19	9 p.m.-30
10 a.m.-18	10 p.m.-29
11 a.m.-17	11 p.m.-27
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Couple, 10 children escape from burning home



Mr. and Mrs. Richard Horton and their 10 children arrived Tuesday night in their new home, about a mile from their former home which was gutted by fire Tuesday morning. From left to right are, front row, Kevin, Richard, Francis and Susan; middle row, in back of Richard, Wayne, Kenneth, Steven and William. Rear row, Mrs. Horton with Dawn and Horton with Michael. (Staff Photo by MacLeod)

New home located for family

By PETE GRADY
Pocono Record Reporter
STROUDSBURG — Richard Horton, a Stroud Township father of 10 children, hadn't done any Christmas shopping as of Tuesday which was the day the Hortons lost everything but their shoes, socks and the kids' pajamas in a morning fire that destroyed their Arlington Heights home.

Not shopping early was the only break in an otherwise bleak pre-Christmas horizon for Richard and Barbara Horton and their eight boys and two girls.

No doubt if they had shopped early the children's presents would have also gone up in smoke.

Tuesday afternoon the 12 Hortons gathered at the Youth For Christ building, 66 South Courtland St., East Stroudsburg, where they were feted with a Christmas party by members of the Sigma Pi fraternity, East Stroudsburg State College.

Down the street, the Salvation Army spread its wings of mercy around the two boroughs for furniture, clothing and lodging for the homeless family that came to Stroudsburg a year ago from Elizabeth, N.J.

"The kids are healthy, the baby's got a little cold and thank God for that," said Barbara Horton as she carried the youngest of her large brood, Dawn, aged two months. As the eight Horton boys sat on two wooden benches and talked about which boy had worn shoes, socks or pajamas when they left their burning home, four-year-old, blonde Susan Horton, held in the arms of Rosemary Bolish, an East Stroudsburg State College junior, tried to keep the tears away as Rosemary played a Christmas carol on a piano.

Barbara Horton said she and Richard put their ten children and Snooper, a pet Beagle, in the family car when they came out of the flaming, smoke-filled house.

The Horton boys remained on the benches as if they were in church, they were that well behaved.

"The boys played puzzles all morning," said Mrs. Worthy.



Charred cans and cooking utensils lie on a kitchen bench in the Stroud Township home which was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. (Staff Photo by MacLeod)

Youngster awakens parents

By JIM SHAFER
Pocono Record Reporter
STROUDSBURG — A seven-year-old boy is credited by Stroud Township firemen with saving the lives of his mother and father and his seven brothers and two sisters early Tuesday morning after he awakened his parents and told them he smelled smoke.

Wayne Horton smelled smoke in the family home at 1019 N. Ninth Street and awakened his parents to tell them. Mrs. Barbara Horton arose and went to the kitchen to find it engulfed in flames.

She and her husband, Richard, then evacuated the other children. As Mrs. Horton fled the burning building with the last child the kitchen roof caved in.

Lester Rice, Stroud Township fire chief, said that when firemen arrived the entire back of the home was engulfed in flames and that firemen quickly played water on the fire and were just in time to contain the blaze to the kitchen and a room in the center of the one-story, wood frame house.

The other rooms in the house were damaged by heat, smoke and water.

The Horton family fled the burning building with only the clothing they were wearing. The family was taken to Chief Rice's home where they had breakfast and were contacted by the Salvation Army.

Lost everything
The 12-member family lost everything it owned in the fire but the man who owned the property, Vincent Lovecchio, has given the family another home in which to live.

The family will move into a home at 740 N. Ninth Street, less than a mile from the home that was ruined by fire.

Chief Rice said the fire started in the kitchen in back of the stove but his investigation is not completed and he will not know the exact cause until after it is completed.

Rice said the first truck on the scene "fired in" to a fire plug at Rt. 611 and Chipperfield Dr. and had to detour traffic up Chipperfield Dr. to Congdon Ave. and back out onto Rt. 611 near the First Federal Savings and Loan Assn.

When the second pumper "fired in" to another plug at White Street and Rt. 611, the first line was turned off and traffic was resumed on Rt. 611. Traffic, according to Rice, was only delayed for a very short time.

The six pieces of equipment and 50 firemen were on the scene from 7:25 to 10 a.m. before they returned to the firehouse.

E. S. council oks budget, no tax hike

EAST STROUDSBURG — The East Stroudsburg Borough Council Tuesday night at an adjourned meeting formally adopted the \$522,477 budget for 1968.

At the same time, council adopted an ordinance levying taxes on real estate for 1968. A 16 mills tax has been set for the General Fund and a one mill tax for the Sinking Fund.

The taxes on real estate are the same as those levied in 1968.

Also adopted was an ordinance which established the salaries of council members at \$1,200 per year, and the salary of the mayor was set by adoption of a third ordinance.

Donald Gage, assistant to Sterling Cramer, Borough Manager, was formally appointed Assistant Borough Manager and Assistant Secretary.

Ernest H. Staples, Maple Ave., East Stroudsburg, was reappointed to the East Stroudsburg Authority and Charles Reid was reappointed to serve on the East Stroudsburg Zoning Board of Adjustment. The terms of both men expired this month.

Candle service

DELAWARE WATER GAP — A Candlelight Christmas service will be held at the Delaware Water Gap Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Dec. 22, at 4 p.m. All are welcome.

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Pocono proposes budget, defends one per cent tax

TANNERSVILLE — A 1969 budget of \$77,755 will be presented for public inspection Tuesday night during a regular meeting of the Pocono Township Supervisors and will be adopted Tuesday, Jan. 7.

All sources of revenue remain the same with the addition of the recently enacted one percent earned income tax. Real estate tax remains at five mills; per capita at five dollars and one mill for the building fund.

Payment from the county commissioners for liquid fuel tax will be \$3,000; a loss of \$6,000 compared to payments made in the past. The commissioners recently reduced payments to townships for this fund.

In comparison, the 1968 budget is about \$112,000 which includes financing for the recently constructed township municipal building.

Elmer Munch, secretary, presented a letter to the supervisors from Berkheimer Associates, the collecting agency for the one per cent earned income tax which will

take effect in January.

A claim was made against the income tax by Herbert Helmus of Henryville. In a letter, Helmus claimed the tax was "illegally enacted" and wrote the supervisors did not follow prescribed procedures for advertising their intent to enact the tax by publishing such a notice three times in a three week period prior to enactment; supervisors did not establish a necessity for the tax and did not give an estimate of expected revenues from the tax.

Bangor man dies at 80 in hospital

BANGOR — Lovine A. Koehler, 80, Bangor R. D. 2, died Tuesday in Easton Hospital.

Born in Bethlehem Township, he was a son of the late Alfred and Mary Lerch Koehler. Mr. Koehler was a farmer, retiring in 1953. He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church, Stone Church; a member of Portland Lodge 311 F & AM; Lehigh Consistory, Allentown.

He is survived by two sons, Alfred, East Bangor, and Paul, Bangor R. D. 2; one daughter, Mrs. Arlene Crull, Stroudsburg, N. J.; eight grandchildren and one grand-grandchild; one brother, Ezra Koehler, Bethlehem Township; two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Heil and Mrs. Raymond Biddleman, both of Bethlehem Township.

Services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in the Reed Funeral Home, Johnsonville, with the Rev. Lynn Rothrock officiating. Burial will be in Centerville Cemetery, Stone Church.

Friends and relatives may call at the funeral home Thursday after 7 p.m.

The supervisors will refer the matter to township Solicitor Delleff A. Hansen.

In their discussion about the claim made by Helmus, supervisors said their "intent" was published accordingly and they have a billing receipt certifying that their "intent" was published Oct. 13, Oct. 20 and Oct. 27.

The supervisors also said they estimated some \$5,000 in revenue from the tax and justified the tax because of the reduction in liquid fuel allocations from the county and the increase in prices of material for road projects.

In other business, the supervisors accepted the resignation of John A. Smiley of Henryville, as justice of the peace, effective Dec. 31. Smiley's commission would have expired Jan. 3, 1972.

Mary Brown, 69, E.S., dies; services scheduled today

EAST STROUDSBURG — Mrs. Mary R. Brown, 69, of 29 N. Green St., East Stroudsburg, died Tuesday night in the General Hospital of Monroe County.

Mrs. Brown was born in Lithuania and moved to the Stroudsburgs from Easton, She

had lived here the past 49 years and was the widow of Herman Brown.

She was a member of Temple Israel, Stroudsburg; Hadassah, and was the last surviving member of Temple Israel Sisterhood.

Survivors include two sons, William of Stroudsburg, and Lester of Stroudsburg R.D. 3; five grandchildren, and a brother, Nathan Miller of New York City.

Services will be held today at 2:30 p.m. in the William H. Clark Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Temple Israel Cemetery, Marshalls Creek.

Shiva will be observed at 610 Bryant St., Stroudsburg.

At the request of the family and in lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Temple Israel.

Girl injured in accident

STROUDSBURG — JoAnn Marie Stokes, 21, of East Stroudsburg R. D. 2, Monday night was taken to the General Hospital of Monroe County after she was involved in an auto accident on Rt. 447, near its intersection with Rt. 191.

She was treated and released. Stroud Township Police said the woman was traveling north on Rt. 447 when her car skidded on a patch of ice, went out of control and rolled over on its side.

Police estimate damage at \$1,800. The accident occurred at 9:30 p.m.

Dr. Marshall R. Metzgar honored

Lafayette facilities named for Stroudsburg doctor

STROUDSBURG — Lafayette College's new off-campus outdoor athletic complex was officially named Marshall R. Metzgar Athletic Fields, it was recently announced by Dr. K. Roald Bergegon, president of Lafayette.

Lafayette's board of trustees named the facilities for Dr. Metzgar, a Stroudsburg physician and a 1918 graduate of the college, "in recognition of his continuing and generous service to the college."

Dr. Metzgar, who has been practicing medicine in Monroe County for nearly 45 years, was named to Lafayette's board of trustees in 1951.

Tuesday morning, Dr. Metzgar had spent about three hours over at East Stroudsburg State College taking care of a long line of student flu sufferers.

In the afternoon, back at his

office at 41 North Seventh St., Stroudsburg, he took a couple of minutes out to talk about teaching and medicine which as he said, "runs in his blood."

His grandfather taught in the county in the 1870s and his father was a teacher for more than 40 years, most of them in Stroudsburg. And one of his sons, Marshall T. Metzgar is an associate professor of anesthesia at the University of Missouri.

Dr. Metzgar, by his own count, has delivered 4,900 babies in the Monroe County area since 1924. He believes his interest in youth "has always made me feel more younger than I really am."

He served on the Stroudsburg School Board from 1938 to 1958, and has been a school physician at East Stroudsburg State



Dr. Marshall R. Metzgar

College since 1957.

He sees the current flu epidemic as something that

happens every two or three years, and that the present siege of respiratory ills in the

county always seems to be worse than prior ones.

But he cited two previous flu epidemics that were much more severe than the Hong Kong invasion: January, 1929, and March, 1938.

He can remember when he was the only doctor in the county who did laboratory work, and that at that time, there was so little of it that it took him a half-hour twice a week to do all the analyses.

Two stories of his 45 years in regional medicine came to his mind. Once was about a couple who came to see him from way up in the hills. The wife, who was the patient, began to talk about everything under the sun, he said, as he was examining her.

When he put a thermometer in her mouth she kept up the verbal stream until he told her that she might break the glass

in the thermometer. Even then she continued to mumble.

As the couple was about to go out the door, the husband came back to Dr. Metzgar and whispered, "Hey, doc. How much does one of those thermometers cost? I'd like to put it in her mouth fulltime."

The other story, more serious, involved a young man who was dying of an infection in 1945.

Dr. Metzgar had heard about the new wonder drug, penicillin. Dr. Chester Keefe who was in charge of penicillin research in a Boston hospital had gone to Bucknell University.

"Mrs. Harold Edwards of Stroudsburg had been in the same class, 1918," Dr. Metzgar said. "I called her and asked her if she remembered Dr. Edwards and told her about the boy who was dying. She telephoned Dr. Edwards and he

sent down all the penicillin he had.

"It was flown to Hamlin Airport in East Stroudsburg. And 24 hours after it was administered to the boy, the infection cleared up."

A native of the Stroudsburg area, Dr. Metzgar received his medical degree from Jefferson Medical College in 1922. He served an internship at Presbyterian Hospital in Philadelphia for two years before returning to Stroudsburg where he has been engaged in general practice ever since.

Dr. Metzgar has been a member of the Pennsylvania Medical Society since 1924. In 1959, he was honored as a "tireless worker and for a lifetime of service to the community" when he received the Golden Deeds Award of the East Stroudsburg Exchange Club.

Stroudsburg's quick start beats winless Cards, 78-65

SWIFTWATER — Stroudsburg High evened its seasonal record at 3-3 Tuesday night as it jumped out to a 45-22 halftime lead en route to a 78-65 decision over winless Pocono Mountain. The

Cardinals are now 0-4 for the season. The Mounties' full-court press, gave the usually good ball handling. Cardinals trouble in the first 16 minutes of play. In the first half, the Cards, who

had averaged almost 80 points a game, hit on only 6 of 22 shots from the field. Stroudsburg seemed to have the game sewed up as it enjoyed a 25-point lead in the final period. But Pocono

Mountain, sparked by Jack Hunter's 13 points closed the gap to four before the Mounties again opened a comfortable lead.

In the opening period with Dale Marsh and Bill Weber each contributing six points Tony Romano's five raced out to a 20-11 lead.

In the second period Jack Marvin accounted for seven of his 11 points as Stroudsburg outscored the host five 25-11 and increased its lead to 45-22 after the first 16 minutes.

Stroudsburg presented a balanced scoring attack with Scott Young showing the way with 15. Weber added 14, Marsh 13 and Marvin 11.

Hunter led all scorers with 22 in a losing effort. Ed Horn, with 12, was the only other Cardinal in double figures.

Stroudsburg also dominated the boards with a 31-17 edge in rebounds.

Stroudsburg's junior varsity blew a 15-point lead and then needed a pair of fouls by Mike Wells to eke out a 52-51 decision in the preliminary game. The Little Mounties are now 5-1 for season. Pocono Mountain's Bernie Vigna topped the scoring parade with 17.

Pocono Mountain returns to action Friday night when it takes on Plains of Wilkes-Barre in the first round of the East Stroudsburg Invitational.

Pocono Mountain
Horn 4-10-22, Hunter 7-14-22, Wise 2-5-9, Davis 1-3-7, Knecht 2-2-4, Cramer 2-4-5, Vigna 0-0-0, Nicholas 0-0-0, Weber 6-10-22, Kayish 0-1-1. Totals: 18-22-42-45.

Stroudsburg
Marvin 5-12-11, Young 4-11-11, Granger 1-1-1, Weber 4-14-14, Abel 2-4-8, Crane 4-6-8, Cook 0-0-0, Young 4-8-15, Bister 1-0-2, Potcher 1-0-2, Brown 1-0-2. Totals: 31-15-29-78.

Stroudsburg
Stroudsburg 30 25 14 17-28
Pocono Mountain 12 11 15 28-45
Officials: Pletzer, Wilson.
JV: Stroudsburg, 52-51.

Flyers leave cellar

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)—The Philadelphia Flyers, weakest scoring team in the National Hockey League, staged a scoring explosion for the first time this season Tuesday night and whipped the Pittsburgh Penguins 8-2, to climb out of last place in the Western Division.

Dick Sarrazin, Ditt Selby and Andre Lacroix each scored twice for Philadelphia, which had not scored more than four goals in any previous game this season.

Sarrazin added two assists to bring his point total to 12 in only 10 games since being called up from Quebec of the American Hockey League.

The Flyers grabbed a 3-0 lead early in the game and were ahead 4-1 after the second period. They bombarded Pittsburgh netminder Less Binkley with 14 shots and scored four more goals in the third period.

Keith McCreary notched both Pittsburgh goals in the final minute of the first and third periods. The Penguins dropped into last place in the Western Division, two points behind Philadelphia.

Forbes Kennedy opened the scoring at 4:03 of the first period by converting Larry Hale's rebound at the left corner of the net. Lacroix and Selby tallied 55 seconds apart late in the period.

After picking up two assists on the early goals, Sarrazin beat Binkley twice in the third period. Leon Rouchford and Lacroix scored later as Philadelphia enjoyed its biggest offensive game since last season.

Pittsburgh 2 0 1-2
Philadelphia 8 2 4-8

Hicke leads Seals past North Stars

MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL (UPI)—Bill Hicke's two goals—one a third period tie-breaker—led Oakland to a 3-2 victory over Minnesota Tuesday night, and upped the third place Seals' lead to 3 points over the North Stars in the National Hockey League's west division.

It was Oakland's second victory along with a tie in three games here this season. Gary Smith, who has been in the Seals' nets all three games, turned back 35 of 37 Minnesota shots. North Star goalie Cesare Maniago kicked out 26 of 29 Oakland attempts.

Hicke broke a 2-2 tie at 10:04 of the final period with his 9th goal, a slap shot which got by the partially screened Maniago and hit the upper left corner. Minnesota pulled Maniago in the final minute and flooded the ice with forwards, but Smith held off for the victory.

Earlier, Hicke had shot the Seals into a 1-0 first period lead while Minnesota was a man short, taking a drop-pass from Ted Hampson and beating Maniago to the right side from 20 feet at 17:59.

Just over a minute later, LaRose, returning after a two-game injury absence notched his 10th goal with a delayed penalty call pending on Oakland's Carol Vadais, Maniago raced off the ice, the stars put on an extra forward, got the puck out in front of the Seals' net and LaRose rapped it in at 9:12.

NHL standings

East	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Montreal	17	6	5	37	94	70
Boston	16	7	5	37	101	70
Toronto	16	7	5	34	74	65
New York	16	12	1	31	81	66
Chicago	14	12	2	30	112	97
Detroit	11	14	3	25	95	82

West
St. Louis 17 6 5 37 94
Los Angeles 13 13 2 24 60
Oakland 9 16 5 23 73
Minnesota 8 17 4 20 65
Philadelphia 8 17 4 20 58
Pittsburgh 6 18 7 21 105

Tuesday's Results
Philadelphia 8 Pittsburgh 2
Oakland 3 Minnesota 2
(Only games scheduled)

Wednesday's Games
Chicago at New York
Los Angeles at Montreal
Oakland at Toronto
(Only games scheduled)



Stroudsburg's Dale Marsh (11) has an easy field goal as three Pocono Mountain players arrive too late. (Staff Photo by Arnold)

Knickerbockers rout Warriors, 114 to 99

NEW YORK (UPI)—Wait Frazier led New York on a blistering rally of 15 straight points in two minutes and 40 seconds of the final period Tuesday as the Knicks routed the San Francisco Warriors 114-99 in a National Basketball Association game.

Trailing 92-91 with 5:11 to play, Frazier made two three-point plays in a 13-second span, came back later for two more free throws and his teammates added two field goals and three free shots for a 106-92 lead with 2:49 remaining.

The Warriors played without 6-10 Clyde Lee and 6-11 Nate Thurmond, their leading scorer and rebounder. Rudy LaRusso led San Francisco with 28 points.

Walt Bellamy scored 24, Dick Barnett 21 and Bill Bradley 20 to pace the New York scoring attack.

Banquet tonight for Warrior 11

EAST STROUDSBURG — The community will honor the unbeaten but once-tied East Stroudsburg State football team at a dinner-dance today at 7:30 p.m. in the ESSC dining hall.

Dr. Harry Gamble, head football coach at Lafayette College, will be the guest speaker. Awards will be presented to the Warrior squad and coaching staff.

Tickets will be on sale at the door.



Herbert Kemp is the best all-around player on the Wilkes College basketball team that is entered in the Pocono Classic Dec. 26-28.

Bangor five drops third to Solehi

BANGOR — Four players hit for double figures Tuesday night as Southern Lehigh gained a 60-45 victory over a flustered Bangor five.

The Slaters, who dropped their third game in five outings, were without the services of three starters, Ridgley Hughes, Mike Ruggiero and Rich Lowe.

Mike Blau, with 13 points, was the only Slater in double figures. High for Solehi were Dwayne Wetzel, Bob Stayer, Brian Jones and Bob Schiefer with 17, 15, 10 and 10 points in that order.

Southern Lehigh also prevailed in the junior varsity action, 66-50.

Bangor
Whitmore 4-12-25, Pagotto 3-13-9, Blau 6-12-13, Hunt 2-6-4, Hohn 1-3-1, L. Olli 2-0-4, Miller 1-0-2, Caraccia 0-0-0, Jonkela 1-1-3, Heard 1-1-3, R. Olli 0-0-0. Totals: 18-21-45.

Southern Lehigh
Jones 13-10-28, Schaeffer 2-3-5, Stayer 6-5-15, Wetzel 4-5-17, Schiefer 4-2-10, Metzger 1-0-2, Totals: 22-15-40.

Southern Lehigh
10 15 15 19-40
Bangor 10 14 9 12-45
Officials: Hoffman, Horstfeld.
JV: Southern Lehigh, 65-50.

Tar Heels win, 94-67

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. (UPI)—The second-ranked North Carolina Tar Heels blasted Virginia 94-67 with a devastating balanced attack Tuesday night to claim first place in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Forward Bill Bunting led the Tar Heels with 18 points and nine rebounds, followed by Rusty Clark with 16 points and Charlie Scott with 14. Joe Brown contributed 13 and backcourt ace Dick Gubay had 10.

The victory was the second in ACC play for the undefeated Tar Heels, who have won their first five games. Virginia took its first loss in conference play and its second against three wins.

The Cavaliers led only once—when center John Gidding made the first basket of the game with only a few seconds gone.

Scholastic basketball

Shamokin 100, Carson Long 63	Upper Dauphin 40, Susquehanna 30	Steel High 44, Central Dauphin East 61
Northeast 63, Scotland 45	John Harris 41, Cedar Cliff 51	Mechanicsburg 61, Annville-Cleona 43
Camp Hill 98, Big Spring 41	Greenwood 71, Harrisburg 50	Newport 51, Middletown 48
East Penn 60, Red Land 48	Hershey 71, Cumberland Valley 55	Cedar Crest 55, Wyoming 56
Succunetta 74, Boiling Springs 41	Lebanon 80, Lancaster 72	Reading 54, York 38
West Perry 65, Gettysburg 40	Waynesboro 74, Carlisle 73	Berwick 71, Bloomsburg 49
Shamokin 53, Sellersville 41	Danville 92, Southern 56	Millton 48, Northwest 41
Millton 48, Northwest 41	Shickellamy 76, Central 40	Oakton 76, Garden Spot 52
Coalinga 62, Ephrata 34	Manheim Central 60, Pequea Valley 51	Lampeter-Strasburg 56, Dorney 41
Warwick 70, Manheim Township 45	Towanda 54, Troy 52	Wyoming 74, SUU 41
Athens 62, Northeast Bradford 54		

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Royals bow to Zephyrs

ALLENTOWN — John Leiner and Ross Steckel combined for 46 points Tuesday night in leading Whitehall to its second win in less than two weeks over Pius X, 89-40.

Leiner led all scorers with 26 points while Steckel added 21. Steve Hicks, with 13, was the lone Royal in double figures.

Whitehall won the junior varsity action in double overtime, 42-39.

Pius X
S. Hicks 6-12-25, Saveri 1-0-1-2, Schiavone 0-0-0, Ziegler 0-1-2, J. Schiavone 0-0-4, Merolla 3-1-7, Renardo 2-0-2-4, Smith 1-0-2-2, Trutt 0-1-3-1, Bonifase 0-0-0, G. Hicks 2-0-4. Totals: 16-15-40.

Whitehall
Ehrig 4-22-10, Gallagher 3-0-1-4, Kropf 2-1-3, Steckel 8-5-27, Gearhart 2-2-3, Glasser 1-0-2, Jurek 0-1-2, Reddick 2-0-4, Leiner 11-33-25, Lerner 2-0-4, Sagunovich 2-2-4. Totals: 37-15-89.

Whitehall
22 20 17 32-89
Officials: DiSavatore, Lindenmuth.

Port Jervis nips Delval

MILFORD — A 32-point performance by Tom McCoey sparked Port Jervis to a 78-72 win over Delaware Valley Tuesday night.

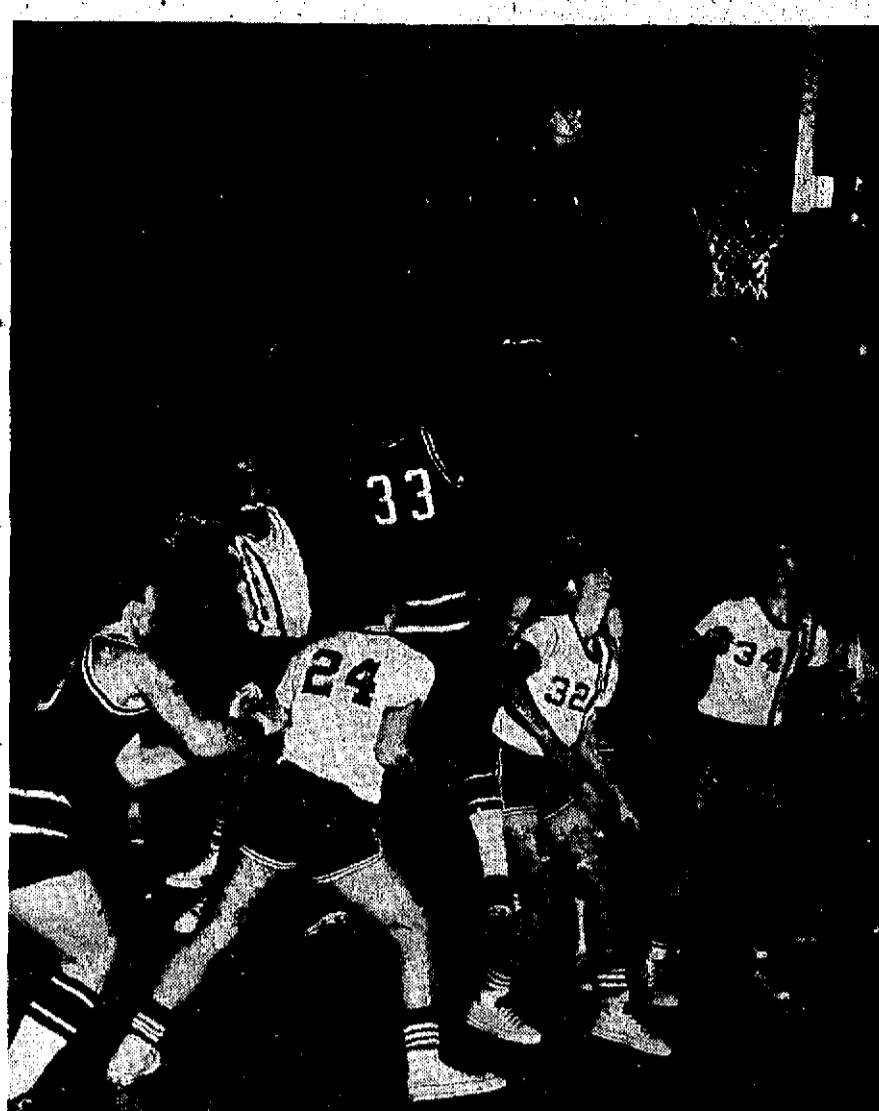
Rich Saul added 17 for the winners who pulled out the win by outscoring Delval, 26-21 in the final period.

Ken Ogrodnick and Rick Litis each tallied 20 and Craig Smith 12 for the losers.

Delaware Valley
Ogrodnick 8-18-20, Depp 2-1-5, Litis 7-1-20, Smith 5-22-12, Schaeffer 0-0-1-0, Piccio 1-0-2, Adams 3-1-7, King 2-2-4, Semile 0-0-0, Totals: 26-21-77.

Port Jervis
McCoey 16-14-36, Wilson 4-11-9, Saul 5-9-12, Anderson 1-2-4, Wilkerson 0-0-4, Lyon 1-0-2, Morgan 1-0-2, Totals: 30-18-78.

Delaware Valley
Port Jervis 22 17 11 21-72



Stroudsburg's Mel Abel (33) scores two-point during first half action despite Pocono Mountain's Jerry Davis (in rear). Cardinal players are Jack Hunter (24), Brad Wise (32) and Don Cramer (34). (Staff Photo by Arnold)

Springfield gives Warriors fits before bowing, 24-15

EAST STROUDSBURG — The nationally ranked East Stroudsburg State wrestling team had trouble getting untracked Tuesday night before defeating Springfield College, 24-15 for its fourth dual meet win of the year and ninth in a row over two seasons.

The Warriors, who may have been looking ahead to Saturday night's encounter with Oregon State won six bouts and gained draws in two others.

Five Warriors kept their records clean but Ted Pease and Bob DeVore were both hanging on at the end. Co-captains Jerry McDonald and Dan Rossi had easy times while Heavyweight Rich failed to gain a fall for the first time.

Springfield, which lost to Wilkes 28-0 Monday night (115 and 191 were not wrestled) took an early 3-0 lead as Jim McGonigle outlasted Stroudsburg's Frank Coco, 8-6. The difference was in the second period where the Springfield boy scored a reversal, takedown and predicament.

At 123 Pease gained an 8-6

College basketball

Lovely (Md.) 68 Morgan St. 59	Cornell 60 Rochester 57	Amherst 71 Hartford 52
Arkansas 69 Centenary 50	Rutgers 61 Princeton 60	Duquesne 72 Kent St. 56
Marquette 64 Virginia 67	Tennessee 72 Georgia Tech 59	Georgetown 61 70 Navy 55
Bowling 77 MIT 71	New York Tech 126 Bowie St. 80	St. Peter's 108 Biscayne 45
Quantico Marines 78 Oswego 40	Buffalo St. 74 Fredonia St. 59	Marshall 92 Morehead 82
Elizabeth City 91 Maryland St. 90	Berea 91 Centre 76	Pikeville 80 Union 76
Cumberland 55 Tennessee Wesleyan 79	Penn Military 69 Dickinson 59	Massachusetts 60 Connecticut 66
Bridgport 54 Southern Conn. 59	Brands 55 Worcester Poly 67	Ankner 74 Hartland 47
Clark 131 Washburn 99	Maslin 83 Franklin 72	Williamson 69 Earlham 61
Snyder 71 Marietta 92	Wooler 67 Westminster (Pa.) 58	Davidson 62 Richmond 60
Wake Forest 98 William & Mary 54	Sam Houston 94 Abilene Christian 65	St. Louis 99 Wichita St. 89

San Jose picks State assistant

SAN JOSE, Calif. (AP) — Joseph H. McMullen, assistant football coach at Penn State, Tuesday was named new head coach at San Jose State College. He succeeds Harry Anderson, who resigned at the end of this season.

The appointment was announced by Dr. Robert Brenzan, San Jose State athletic director, at a luncheon meeting of sports writers and broadcasters in nearby Santa Clara.

McMullen, 44, who has an 11-year record as a head coach of 55-36-5, is a Caucasian. Negro athletes at the San Jose school wanted a Negro to replace Anderson.

win over Tom Licciardello on the strength of two time points. Licciardello tied the score at 6-6 with a takedown just before the final buzzer. Pease had leads of 2-0, 4-1 and 5-2 during the bout.

Sophomore Kimble Matter lost his first varsity bout, 11-8 to Tom Pollard in the 130-pound bout. The bout was tied at 5-5 after two periods before Pollard gained two predicament, and a takedown in the final period.

Another sophomore Tony Ptak, filling in for the injured Tom Best at 137, battled to a 1-1 tie with Cam Sinclair at 137. The draw left the visitors holding an 8-5 lead.

But then the veterans on the ESSC squad took over and the tide of battle quickly changed.

At 145 McDonald took Bob Serrano down in the both the first and second period before clamping a cradle on his foe and end Rd the bout at the 4-11 mark.

Then at 152 Rossi easily decided John Romas, who lost two points for stalling in the final period, 8-0.

At 160 Bob DeVore and Art Ziegler gave their all for the full eight minutes with DeVore holding on for a 9-8 win.

Sophomore Fred Epler upped

'S' meeting off

STROUDSBURG — The Varsity S Club has cancelled its December meeting scheduled for tonight because all officers and board members will attend the testimonial dinner for the East Stroudsburg State football team.

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Warrior 5 drops sixth

MADISON, N.J. — The winless East Stroudsburg State Basketball team folded in the second half Tuesday night as it dropped a 58-46 decision to Fairleigh-Dickinson.

The win was the fifth straight for the New Jersey live while Ken Sisson's Warriors are now 0-6 for the season.

ESSC, which hosts Philadelphia Textile Thursday night, led 27-19 at intermission as the host five made only 6 of 36 shots from the field.

But in the second half 6-7 Jim Harmon, and 6-2 Joe Schriver accounted for 11 of the winners 12 field goals.

ESSC still led with 14:41 left in the game and the lead changed hands three times before the host five spurred and went in front to stay.

Once again Capt. Steve Guter got into early foul trouble, he picked up his fourth in the first 10 seconds of the second half. He sat out the next nine minutes and then fouled out with 7:49 left in the game. Guter finished with only seven points as he made only two shots from the floor.

Ben 'Horse' Kizer, the Warriors' outstanding rebounder, had a leg problem in the second half and was used only sparingly.

Sophomore guard Fred Richner was the only Warrior in double figures with 13 points.

Fairleigh-Dickinson (5-1) had four players in double figures with Harmon leading with 16. Schriver added 13, Steve Dahn, 10 and 13 rebounds, and Ted Bruning 11.

The ESSC frosh upped their record to 3-2 in the opening game with a 68-38 win. Glen Godshaik netted 15 for the winners.

Fairleigh-Dickinson
Bruning 3-12-11, Buzzi 0-3-4, Harmon 7-12-16, Schriver 3-13-23, Dahn 2-4-10, Parfett 0-3-4. Totals: 20-32-58.

ESSC
Guter 2-3-7, Kizer 4-8-14, Chando 1-0-2, Richter 4-12-13, Pedrick 2-4-8, Flean 0-1-2, Grier 1-0-2, Spangler 0-2-2, Spear 1-2-2, Totals: 7-12-32.

Halftime: ESSC, 27-19.

Pen Argyl drops fifth

GREEN POND — Notre Dame held winless Pen Argyl to only three points in the third period Tuesday night en route to a 49-39 decision.

The score was tied at 13-13 after the first period and 23-23 at intermission before the Knights went cold in the third period. Notre Dame took 38-28 lead into the final period.

Rich Weber had 16 and Kopp 10 for the Crusaders. Bob Kauffman and Bob Bath netted 13 and 11 points in that order for the Knights (0-6).

Notre Dame
R. Weber 6-17-30, Kopp 4-8-13, Dentiff 2-1-5, Respher 1-0-2, Bray 1-1-1-2, Leg 2-2-4, Huffer 0-0-0, Redul

Players label baseball owner's offer fraudulent

NEW YORK (UPI)—Marvin Miller, attorney for the Major League Baseball Players Association, said Tuesday the club owners' offer to increase their contribution to the players' pension and benefit plan by \$1 million a year was a fraudulent and totally inadequate proposal.

The offer, which was made earlier Tuesday by the player relations committee, would take effect on April 1, 1969, and would increase the club's total contribution to the plan to \$5.1 million a year.

Miller, however, told newsmen that the proposal in effect would not increase player benefits at all.

It is as "fraudulent as anything I have ever seen," said Miller. "The press statement

they released pretends that they have made an offer which will permit a substantial increase in benefits for players. In fact, the offer will have no increase in benefits to players whatsoever.

"They are proposing an annual increase in contribution of \$1 million which will bring their total contribution to \$5.1 million per year. The fact is that just because of expansion with an increase in players, coaches and trainers it would require \$4.8 million to stay even. In addition, they plan on paying off the past debts of past benefits at a faster rate than ever before, which will require \$3.1 million to do," he added.

In short, what Miller was saying is that the apparent act of generosity by the owners doesn't mean much if you read

the fine print.

The real bone of contention is over television revenues. In past years a certain percentage of the clubs' share of TV revenues has gone into the pension fund. There was a written agreement that this be done.

Beginning in 1969, however, the owners want to decrease this amount considerably. They are claiming the players have no right to this money and never did.

A new contract between the major leagues and the National Broadcasting Company next year calls for an increase in TV revenues by \$4.2 million per year, so that major league baseball will be receiving \$16.5 million a year from television for the next three years. Additionally, there will be extra money from the playoffs.

Miller indicated that the TV revenues would figure out to about \$175,000 per club, and of this, the owners only want to spend \$7,500 a club per year for

the pension fund. That averages out to an increase of \$125 per year per member of the plan.

"For more than a decade we have had a written agreement on the matter of TV revenues," said Miller. "But what they have told me is 'we feel the players are getting too much and we want more of it.' I proposed we go to court and get a judgment on this, but they refused."

Miller said there was a chance that they might take the matter to court. If they did, he was confident they would win. A player's contract makes him agree to pose for pictures, movies and television for the purposes of publicity, but they could argue that they are being used for commercial purposes rather than publicity ones when being televised during game conditions.

As to the overall proposal made by the player relations committee, Miller said it would be taken under advisement by

himself, the 24 elected player representatives and the negotiating committee. They would then advise the players whether to accept or reject and a ballot would be taken.

No action is expected to be taken before the second week in January, however, Miller said they are leaving the door open for the player relations committee to make a better offer.

The owners' offers was their latest move in the long negotiations with the players over the pension fund and other matters.

The players have threatened to strike if a settlement isn't reached.

The owners said that their new offer would provide for the participation of the four new clubs and strengthen the present plan.

The clubs contribute 27 per

cent of the total player payroll to the pension plan. The owners claim that in American industry, the average contribution is only seven per cent of the total payroll to pension and welfare funds.

The club owners said their proposal had nothing to do with the club's national TV and radio revenue. The owners claim that when the players ask for a

share in that revenue, they are claiming a right they do not now have and never have had.

Under the present plan, a player can retire after 10 years of playing baseball and earn \$500 a month at age 60. If he waits until 65, he earns \$1,500 a month.

Colts place eight on Western squad

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—The Coastal division champion Baltimore Colts Monday placed eight men including quarterback Earl Morrall on the Western Conference team for the National Football League's 19th annual Pro Bowl game to be played Jan. 19 at the Los Angeles Coliseum.

The Los Angeles Rams, runners-up to the Colts in the Coastal division, had seven men selected including quarterback Roman Gabriel.

Baltimore players selected by vote of the Western Conference coaches along with Morrall are halfback Tom Matte, ends John Mackey and Willie Richardson, tackle Bob Vogel, defensive tackle Fred Miller, linebacker Mike Curtis and defensive back Bob Boyd.

Morrall, who took over for the injured Johnny Unitas and led the Colts to the division crown, will be returning to the Pro Bowl for the first time since 1958 when he was a member of the Pittsburgh Steelers and shared the East's quarterback duties with Washington's Eddie LeBaron.

Gabriel alternated with Unitas for the West last year and guided his team to a 38-20 victory to give the Western Conference an 11-7 lead in the series.

Veterans of this year's team are tackle Forrest Gregg of the Green Bay Packers and line-backer Maxie Baughan of the Rams who both were chosen for the eighth time. Defensive tackle Martin Olsen of the Rams, who made the team as a

rookie, was named for the seventh straight year.

Among those selected for the first time were Clifton McNeil of the San Francisco Forty-Niners; halfback Donny Anderson of the Packers; defensive linemen Donny Eller and Alan Page of Minnesota, Mattie and Curtis of the Colts and offensive linemen Joe Scelloni and Charlie Cowan of the Rams.

The only rookie named was tight end Charlie Sanders of Detroit. There were 34 players named to the team and the head coach, when he is selected, will choose a 35th man.

Stars trade Miller

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—The Los Angeles Stars of the American Basketball League announced yesterday they have traded forward Jay Miller to the Indiana Pacers for a high draft choice.

Miller, a former Notre Dame star, was signed by the Stars early this season and averaged 12.6 points per game in 11 contests. He was picked up from Milwaukee of the National Basketball League and played with St. Louis of the NBA last year.

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By EDDIE ADAMS
Associated Press Photographer

As Christmas approaches, war still dominates the land where the Prince of Peace preached his message to the world.

Facing each other are the fighting men of Jordan and Israel, in contention over a piece of real estate only 60 miles long. Their daily lives have all the similarities and contrasts on men at war from time immemorial.

The battleground stretches south from the Sea of Galilee along the meandering green river of Jordan to the Dead Sea. Gun duels are fought almost daily by the opposing armies across the river, but the rugged training of soldiers goes on, interrupted only by a major clash.

Caves carved by the Romans out of solid rock today serve as bunkers and command posts for the Jordanian troops on the eastern bank of the Jordan while on the west bank, Israelis in complete command of the sky, have mostly open trenches.

Morale and discipline are first rate amongst the Jordanians while the Israelis lack discipline.

Just north of the battle zone is the Galilee hillsides where Christ, seemingly looking through the centuries, said: "Blessed are they that mourn, for they shall be comforted. Blessed are the peace makers."

But there is no peace on the Jordan today, only mourners....

Driver charged, posts \$500 bail

EAST STROUDSBURG — Charles Counterman of East Stroudsburg, R.D. 2, Saturday posted \$500 bail in a charge of drunk driving when he was taken before East Stroudsburg Justice of the Peace Harold Larison Sr.

The charge was made by East Stroudsburg Police after Counterman, while traveling east on E. Broad Street, made a turn onto the Erie-Lackawanna Railroad tracks.

Longtime militant preacher finds trouble from among associates

NEW YORK (AP) — The Rev. Carl McIntire, a widely heard radio preacher, publisher, globe-trotting critic of the major churches and advocate of separation from them, today faces an uprising in his own camp.

"I was betrayed," he says, turning his fire on some long-time associates.

He charges that leaders in the American Council of Christian Churches, of which he was a

key organizer, have worked "behind the scenes" in a "conspiracy to deny with me" and push him aside.

He blames it on what he calls a "weakening process" and a "lessening of militancy" in fighting the "forces of darkness" and exposing "the apostasy" in the larger denominations and church councils.

"I stand for the same old militancy which produced the separ-

atist movement in the first place," he says.

"It is a battle, and no place for weak soldiers." But he claims some erstwhile colleagues "have abandoned the battle" and that he can no longer support the leadership of the group he helped form.

The rupture is one of many in which the Rev. Mr. McIntire has played a part in his quarter-century of opposition to the older mainline denominations and their cooperative agencies.

But it marked a distinctive break with his American contingent.

He seems set on a course of rule or ruin," commented the Rev. Dr. John E. Millheim of New York, general secretary of the A.C.C.C. "If he can't control, he's started trying to destroy."

He said the council, made up of 15 smaller denominations

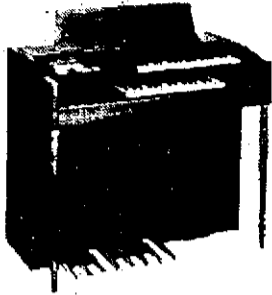
with a total of 1.5 million members, has moved to surmount its particular "McIntire image," but he insisted this did not involve any "underground maneuvering."

"That's just ridiculous," he said. He added that the main issue had been whether the coun-

cil was to be "run by democratic processes" or by "one-man control, regardless of who that is."

The Rev. Mr. McIntire, pastor of a Collingswood, N.J., congregation, mounted his case in his broadcasts, carried paid over more than 600 radio stations.

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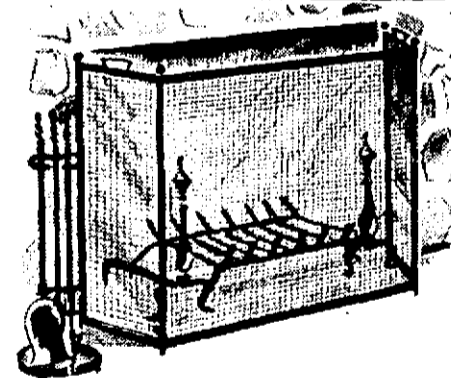
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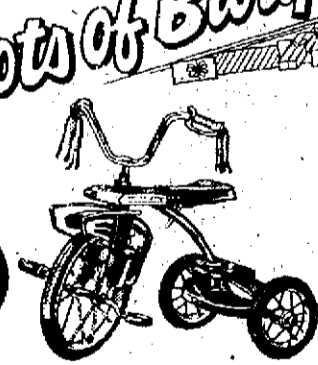
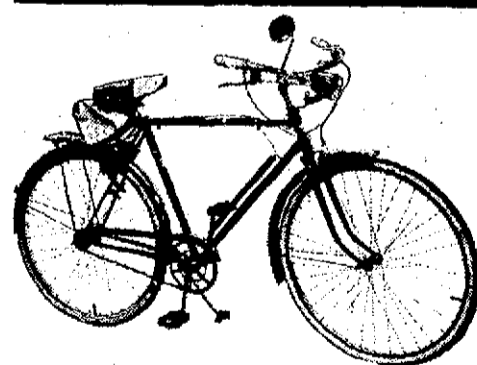
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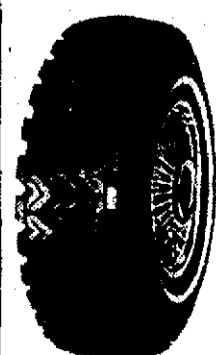
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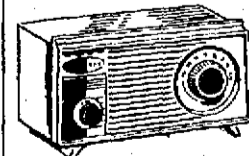
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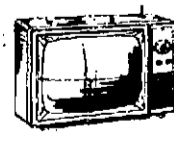
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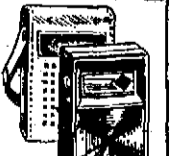
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Hot lunch refunds received

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HARRISBURG — Reimbursement in federal funds totaling \$53,290 has been made to Monroe County schools for costs of the national lunch and milk programs operated by those schools in the 1967-68 school year, according to the State Department of Public Instruction, (distributing agency of these funds in Pennsylvania).

Of this total, \$30,952 was applied to the cost of school lunches. Reimbursement under the milk program was listed at \$20,336. Cost of lunches and milk in the child-care program was \$941.

According to the department the average cost of a lunch to a pupil was 35 cents and to a faculty member about 50 cents. Cost of a half pint of milk other than that served with the lunch was five cents.

Lunches are served during the current school year in 24 schools and milk is available in 26 schools in Monroe County. Pupils in eight other schools in this county are included in the programs but lunches are not served in their schools. In these cases food is transported to these schools from schools in which lunches are served.

Parochial and non-profit private schools in the national programs receive reimbursements similar to those to public schools.

This department provides certain supplemental foods to schools participating in the national lunch program in addition to monetary reimbursements.

Payments to Monroe County schools under these programs amounted to \$49,948 in the previous school year.

Grants from federal fund for lunches served in public schools in Pennsylvania in the 1967-68 school year totaled \$5,646,476 and for milk amounted to \$4,422,961, according to the department.

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FBI calls area man Mafia king

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — A federal judge accepted pleas of innocent Monday from two men, one identified by the FBI as a Pennsylvania Cosa Nostra leader, accused of plotting to move stolen television sets across state lines.

Judge John O. Henderson of U.S. District Court received the pleas at the arraignment of Russell A. Bufalino, 64, of Kingston, Pa., the reputed Cosa Nostra figure, and Salvatore Todaro, 46, of Buffalo.

He continued both free on \$10,000 bail after warning them to advise the court before traveling from their respective home areas.

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Chinese colony flourishes

On Formosa unexpected happens almost daily

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — The maître d' glanced at the tip left on the tray, drew in his breath with a hiss, and let out a bloodcurdling roar. The dozen other waiters at Taipei's Peking Duck restaurant took up the cry.

Roused from their well-fed drowsiness, the mortified customers jerked upright. Was the tip horribly insufficient?

No. It was the full-throated Pekingese way of saying thank you to the generous patrons.

That waiters could be so robustly joyful is but one of the dozens of unexpected reactions the world-weary tourist is finding in Formosa, lush island seat of the government of Nationalist China. For years, tourists were not really encouraged to visit Formosa because President Chiang Kai-shek was too busy planning to return to mainland China.

He still dreams of going back, but his tight little island has relaxed its watchful attitude to foreigners, and the tourist floodgates have opened.

Last year more than one quarter of a million visitors jetted into Formosa, a convenient stopover between Tokyo and Hong Kong. Many more have visited this year.

What they discover is a microcosm of what mainland China used to be before the Communist regime, aided lately by the Red Guards, systematically went about dismembering traditional Chinese life.

Formosa lies 100 miles off the mainland coast and is less than one-third of 1 per cent of China's total territory. But its smallness has sharpened the flavor.

The two million mainlanders who fled the Communists in 1949 brought their talents with them to Formosa. The Chinese cuisine on the island is unsurpassed, according to well-traveled gourmets, with much greater variety than the generally bland Cantonese fare of Hong Kong, and much greater availability than on the mainland. In Peking only one reputa-

ble restaurant remains. There are 50 in Taipei.

The food is one of the great Formosan attractions. The scenery is another. In the old days of this century a Japanese colony, had a seamy reputation as a bachelors' paradise, particularly the numerous hot springs re-

sorts along the mountain foothills.

Now businessmen can bring their wives to Formosa with them on week-long forays into a hinterland that is as dramatic as any accessible in Asia. The newly opened east-west cross island highway is a 150-mile ride through fantastic gorges with

abysses dropping below you and cliffs above, of hair-raising heights to above 8,000 feet where you traverse escarpments like insects crawling across watermelons.

Ten airlines fly 50 flights daily in and out of Taipei. Round-the-world cruise liners are calling at the port of Keelung.

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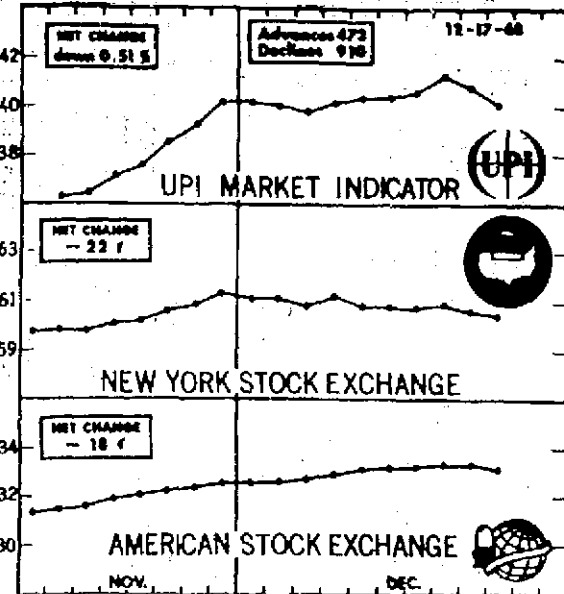
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Traders anticipated credit brake

Bears dominate market second day

NEW YORK (UPI) — This may be the season to be jolly, but not for the bulls in the stock market.

For the second consecutive session, the list turned lower Tuesday but the decline was just a little steeper than on Monday. Turnover was moderately heavy.

Prompting the selling was speculation that the Federal Reserve Board was about to apply a brake to credit. The speculation was right on the nose because just after the close the FED gave its approval to proposals by directors of 9 of the 12 district banks to hike their discount rate to 5 1/2 percent from 5 percent. The action is effective Wednesday.

The hike in the discount rate has the effect of making member commercial banks borrowing from the FED more expensive, hopefully diminishing the flow of funds in that direction. Theoretically, the diminished supply of money available to the banks cuts back on what is available for lending by the banks to corporations and other large borrowers.

The announcement in Washington came in the midst of

trading on the Pacific Coast Stock Exchange. Trading became brisker, but no particular pattern developed.

On the New York Stock Exchange, most major market indicators closed in the minus column.

The UPI stock market indicator turned down .051 percent to 61.409 and the New York Stock Exchange index mirrored a loss of 22 cents in the average common share price. Of the 1,596 issues traded, there were 910 declines, 473 advances. There were 74 new highs and 17 new lows.

The Dow Jones industrial average lost 5.41 to 970.71. The rail average gave up 1.95 and the utility also eased. Turnover was 14,700,000 shares against 15,590,000 shares traded Monday.

Of the 15 most active issues, nine were losers, five gainers, and one issue unchanged.

Topmost active was Benguet or 343,600 shares. It declined 1 to 18. The Philippine government reportedly has raised ob-

jections to Benguet's transfer of some \$30 million in stock to a Bahamian resort complex.

The second most active issue was Bunker-Ramo. It gained 1/2 to 17 1/2 on 314,800 shares.

Third was Glen Alden, with 294,500 shares traded, the issue giving up 1/2 to 19 1/2. Rapid American has announced plans to buy 8-million shares of Glen Alden for \$25 a share. Rapid American, 12th most active, increased by 2 1/2 to 50 1/2 on 107,800 shares.

AMK Corp., United Fruit and Zapata Norcross all were gainers. AMK has boosted its bid for Unifruit shares while Zapata has offered to sweeten its previous bid which Unifruit rejected. AMK added 2 1/2 to 57 1/2, United Fruit 1 1/2 to 86 and Zapata 1 1/2 to 66 1/2.

During the day the Dow Jones News Service reported AMK was negotiating to buy a block of INA Corp. from Bangor Punta, an amount Bangor Punta has declined to reveal. INA added 1 1/2 to 62 1/2 while Bangor lost 1 1/2 to 46 1/2. INA recently announced plans to buy control of World Airways. The latter picked up 1 1/2 to 30 1/2.

Columbia Broadcasting Systems fell 2 1/2 to 53 1/2 on news

it was holding talks on the acquisition of Shoeve Systems.

Butler's Shoe fell 3 to 44 1/2 on news it had agreed in principle to be acquired by Zale Corp.

Bemis Co. gained 1/2 to 71 1/2. It announced it plans to raise polyethylene bag prices after the first of the year.

Youngstown Sheet closed unchanged at 50 1/2. Lykes Corp., which has announced plans to buy a good chunk of Youngstown at \$51 a share, dipped 1/2. Signal Companies, holding preliminary merger talks with Youngstown, picked up 1 to 42 1/2.

What market did

Tuesday, December 18, 1968
New High 174 1/2
New Low 174 1/2
Advances 174 1/2
Declines 174 1/2
Unchanged 174 1/2
Totals 174 1/2
New York Stock Exchange sales today - 14,700,000
New York Stock Exchange bond sales today - \$20,660,000

Everybody's Business

U.S. grant made to plan for care

EAST STROUDSBURG — Congressman Fred B. Rooney confirmed Tuesday, the allocation of a 2.2 million dollar federal grant to assist health care planning in the Greater Delaware Valley.

A grant of \$2,212,710 has been awarded the Greater Delaware Valley Regional Medical Program by the Division of Regional Medical Programs, United States Public Health Service.

Announcement of the grant was made by William F. Kellow, M.D., vice president and dean, Jefferson Medical College, and chairman, GDMRP Program Committee.

The funds will be used to continue planning a program of improved health care for people with heart disease, cancer, stroke and related diseases in eastern Pennsylvania, Delaware and southern New Jersey.

Charles E. Swisher, administrator of the General Hospital of Monroe County, said Tuesday that the hospital located in East Stroudsburg will take part in the program.

"An instructional program is being set up through the local office of the Greater Delaware Valley Regional Medical Program in Allentown, with the cooperation of the Allentown Hospital. The General Hospital of Monroe County will be sending selected personnel to Allentown for further instruction in coronary care," Swisher announced.

"We are also preparing plans, through Rinker, Kiefer and Rake Architects, for a coronary care unit at the hospital, which will implement the training our people going to receive," Swisher added.

Japanese study PP&L

STROUDSBURG — Pennsylvania Power and Light Co.'s successful marketing program—reflected by its substantial sales growth and the healthy economy of the area it serves—is the subject of interest by the Japanese electric utility industry.

Mitsukami Kawakami, a cost analyst with Shikoku Electric Power Co., who is on

assignment as a researcher with the Japanese Overseas Electrical Industry Survey Institute, Inc., which seeks to improve that country's electric industry through studies of overseas power producers, was in Allentown during the week to study PP&L's marketing program and the social and economic character of the Company's service area.

Kawakami said PP&L was one of five companies selected because of the firm's successful marketing activities.

U.S. Steel finished up 1/2 to 45 1/2 in its group. It had been on the minus side for most of the session. After the close the company announced selection of a new chairman to succeed retiring Roger Blough. Bethlehem eased 1/2 to 33, Republic, 1/2 to 50 1/2.

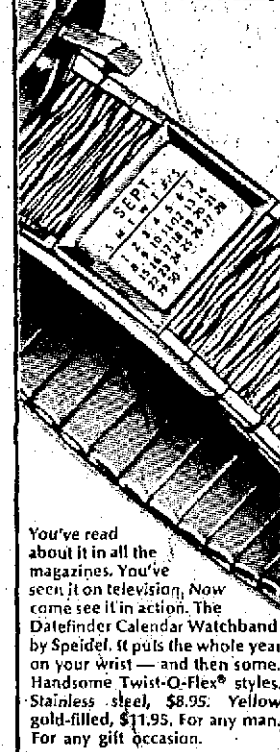
IBM and Control Data, size in the electronics, Magnavox added 2 1/2 to 57 1/2 and Motorola fell the same amount to 127 1/2.

The list was lower in active trading on the American Stock Exchange. Turnover was 7,649,528 shares against 8,539,400 traded Monday. Of the 1,043 issues traded Tuesday, there were 606 gainers, 303 losers and 134 unchanged. The Amex index gave up 18 cents to \$33.07.

Treasury statement

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Withdrawing	\$4,453,357,484.07	\$4,453,357,484.07
Deposits	1,247,184,186.44	1,247,184,186.44
Cash balance	1,247,184,186.44	1,247,184,186.44
Public debt	1,247,184,186.44	1,247,184,186.44
Gold	1,247,184,186.44	1,247,184,186.44
Internal Revenue collections on Dec. 12	\$5,511,192.33	\$5,511,192.33

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Oiljack's merger price \$472,000

STROUDSBURG — The merger of Oiljack Manufacturing Company, Inc., Stroudsburg, with Banner Metals, Inc., Compton, Calif., became a reality Monday with the filing of a deed for \$472,000 in the Monroe County Register and Recorder's office.

The announcement of the merger was made on Nov. 4 in a joint statement by L.C. Vannon, Oiljack president, and Vincent J. Ryan, Banner Metals president.

The merger is not expected to affect any employees of the Stroudsburg plant. At the time of the merger announcement, it was a possibility of additional workers being hired by Feb. 1969.

The metal company is expected to move some of its equipment into the 93,000 square foot plant on West Main St., and when it is completed, a second shift may go into operation.

Before the merger, the company in Stroudsburg had employed 100 persons.

On the local board of directors will be Vannon, Ryan and Attorney Christie D. Shull.

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Symbol	Price	Change	Symbol	Price	Change
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Bunker-Ramo	57 1/2	+2 1/2	Zapata	66 1/2	+1 1/2
Glen Alden	50 1/2	-1/2	Youngstown	50 1/2	0
Rapid American	50 1/2	+2 1/2	Signal	42 1/2	+1
United Fruit	86 1/2	+1 1/2	IBM	45 1/2	+1/2
AMK	57 1/2	+2 1/2	Control Data	50 1/2	+1/2
ANA	62 1/2	+1 1/2	Magnavox	57 1/2	+2 1/2
INA	62 1/2	+1 1/2	Motorola	127 1/2	-1/2
World Airways	30 1/2	+1 1/2	U.S. Steel	45 1/2	+1/2
Republic	50 1/2	+1/2	Chrysler	57 1/2	+1/2
IBM	45 1/2	+1/2	American	33 07	-18
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First quota is reached by Moose

EAST, STROUDSBURG — A class enrollment in honor of having reached its first quota for the year ending June 30, 1970, was held by East Stroudsburg Moose Lodge 1336.

The ritual for the class enrollment was performed by the champion ritual team of Easton Lodge 45.

Edward Unangst, deputy supreme governor of Eastern Pennsylvania, and Peter Clevelaski, deputy supreme governor of Western Pennsylvania, spoke on the merits of the Moose.

Buffet supper was served after the meeting for all Moose members and their wives.

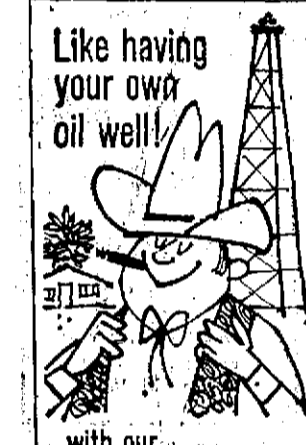
Miss Blatt back in state

HARRISBURG (AP) — Miss Genevieve Blatt, first woman ever elected to statewide office in Pennsylvania, is coming back to Harrisburg after a two-year stint in Washington as assistant director of the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Auditor General Grace M. Sloan announced Miss Blatt's appointment Monday, effective immediately, to a \$16,170 post as director of the bureau of departmental audits.

Miss Blatt served three terms as secretary of internal affairs. She was the Democratic nominee for U. S. Senate in 1964, losing to Republican Sen. Hugh Scott. She lost a bid for a fourth term to Republican John K. Tabor in 1966.

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Q. Can an unmarried taxpayer claim "Head of Household" filing status with respect to a married child, who qualifies as taxpayer's dependent and lives all year in the taxpayer's home?

A. Yes, if you furnish over half the cost of maintaining the household for the entire year, you could qualify for head of household status. Since your child is married, she must live with you in your household and must also qualify as your dependent for you to claim this status.

Q. I recently sold the house I lived in for over eight years. I bought another home. Both transactions were made at the same time. I am under 65 years of age. I made a gain on the sale of the old house. The new house cost more than the one sold. Both sales were under \$20,000. What should be reported on my 1968 return?

A. Since you invested in a new home, the purchase price of which equaled or exceeded the sale price of the old home, you can avail yourself of the non-recognition of the gain provision of the law. The gain is postponed. The basis of your new residence is the purchase price, less the amount of the gain on the sale of your old residence. Even though this gain is not recognized, you should report the transaction on your 1968 tax return. This should be reported on Schedule D form.

Q. In addition to my regular position, I am also Treasurer of a non-profit tax exempt organization. I am paid \$600 a year for my service. I have reported this amount on my Federal tax returns. Recently, I have been told that it was not necessary as this was an "honorarium" and need not be reported. Please advise.

A. This amount you received from the organization is taxable income and must be reported on your Federal income tax returns. This is paid to you for services rendered. The fact that the organization is a non-profit, tax exempt organization does not alter the taxability of these payments.

Q. I inherited \$1,000 on which the state inheritance tax was paid by the donor. Must I enter this amount on my income tax return and pay another tax?

A. No, you need not report this on your Federal income tax return. Gifts, bequests and inheritances are not taxable income.

Q. I know if a baby is born in March, you can claim an exemption for it on your income tax return at the end of the year. I have been told because the mother was pregnant the

preceding year, you can also claim \$400 exemption for that preceding year. Is this correct?

A. No, it is not correct. You may claim an exemption for the child in the year the child was born. This is true even though the child may have lived only momentarily. An exemption may not be claimed for a stillborn child.

Q. When did Congress first authorize the Internal Revenue Service to disclose confidential information contained in a 1040 tax return to any state or county without a court order? Under what act of Congress was such authorization granted?

A. The availability of Federal tax information to state officials under the exchange program was authorized by Congress in 1969 for corporate returns. Congress extended this inspection right to individual returns in 1955.

Section 6103 (b) of the Revenue Code of 1954 provides that inspection of income tax returns by state tax officials shall be permitted upon written request of the Governor. Information thus secured by state officials may, again upon written request of the Governor, be furnished by them to local tax officials only for the purpose of, and may be used only for the administration of local tax laws.

In order to protect the confidentiality of Federal tax returns, Section 7213 of the Internal Revenue Code provides that "any officer, employee, or agent of any state or political subdivision" who makes an unauthorized disclosure from Federal income tax returns "shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned not more than one year, or both."

The fact that tax returns and tax related information are available to states and through them to political subdivisions does not change the confidential nature of income tax returns.

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Stray bullet kills hunter

RENOVO, Pa. (AP) — A stray bullet killed a young Middletown hunter Monday as he drove along a woodland road with his bride of four months.

State Police identified the victim as Martin C. Hetrick Jr., 21, of Middletown RD 1. His wife, Darlene, 18, who was riding in the jeep with him, escaped injury. Mrs. Hetrick was accompanying her husband on a hunting trip.

Investigators said the Hetrick couple were on Shepherd Road about 25 miles north of Renovo in Stewart Township, Potter County, when the accident occurred.

Your Horoscope

By Francis Drake

March 21 to April 20 (Aries) — Better cooperation and a new, offering indicated soon. Once you have checked, the latter's reliability, do not hesitate to accept. Be calm in "trying" moments.

April 21 to May 21 (Taurus) — Planetary aspects mostly auspicious, but accuracy and forethought must spark all decisions, moves. Be sure also to investigate new propositions carefully.

May 22 to June 21 (Gemini) — You can make more progress than may at first seem possible. Once you appraise situations, put your shoulder to the wheel and get going. You may top an old record.

June 22 to July 23 (Cancer) — Don't wait for opportunity; break ground and make an attractive setting for it. Personality and demeanor will count.

July 24 to August 23 (Leo) — Tendencies to avoid this day: Overloading your schedule, hasty decisions, confusion and making drastic changes in projects now running smoothly.

August 24 to September 23 (Virgo) — You may face moments of uncertainty. Stand firmly against wavering; doubting, concentrate on significant issues without neglecting minor items.

September 24 to October 23 (Libra) — The winds may blow hot then cold, strong then diminish. YOU remain stable, knowing, watchful. Fine possibilities for your well-directed efforts.

October 24 to November 23 (Scorpio) — Don't lean on anyone else's ability when your own is so potent, but be sure you DO accept proffered assistance and plans from those who can help.

November 24 to December 23 (Sagittarius) — Spend and devise programs judiciously, not to satisfy temporary whims. Do not stretch the budget.

December 24 to January 20 (Capricorn) — Devote your day to complete routine matters rather than attempt long-range undertakings. A good period for advancing in business.

January 21 to February 19 (Aquarius) — You may be offered an unusual proposition. Study all angles, and accept only after full consideration and careful reckoning of possible outcomes.

February 20 to March 20 (Pisces) — Note Aquarius; your outlook similar. Bring due pressure to bear in "weak" areas, but stand by calmly where necessary delays occur.

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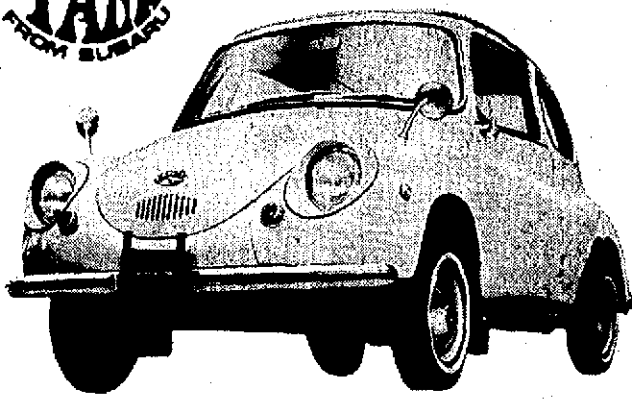
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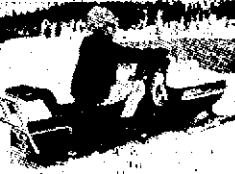
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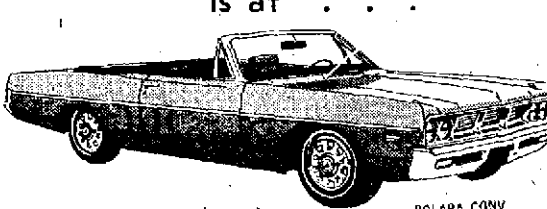
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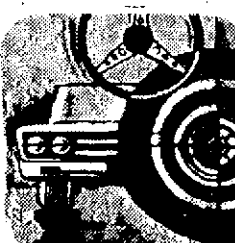
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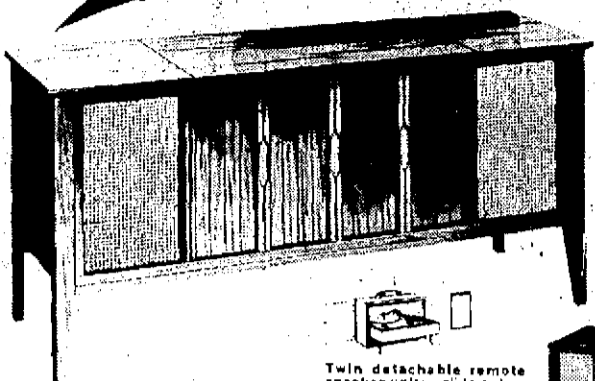
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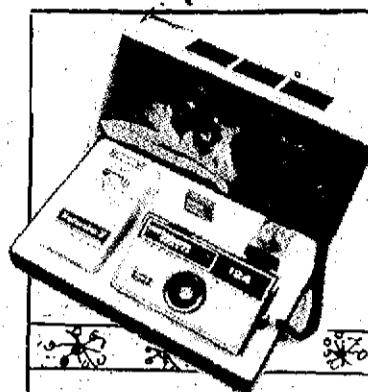
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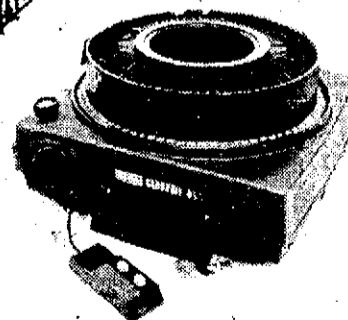
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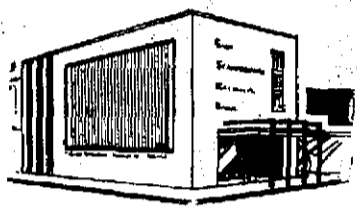
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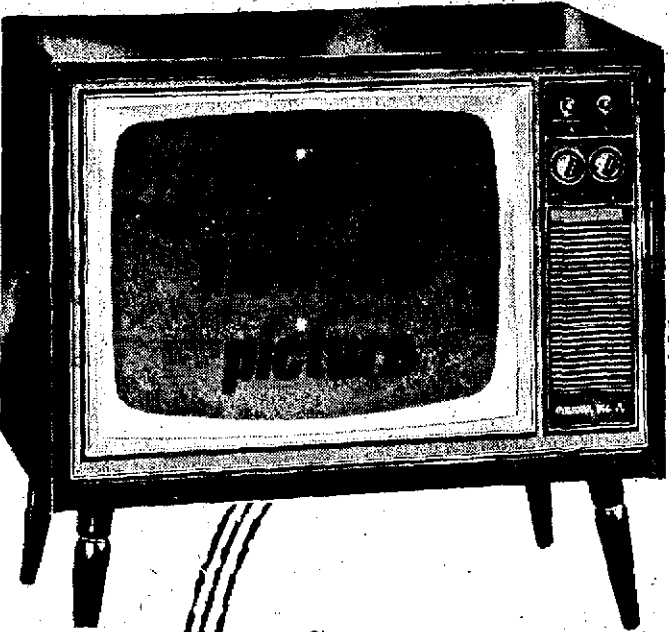
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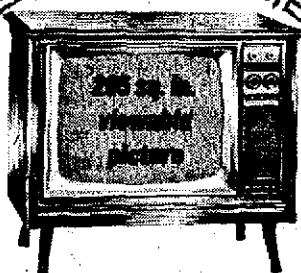
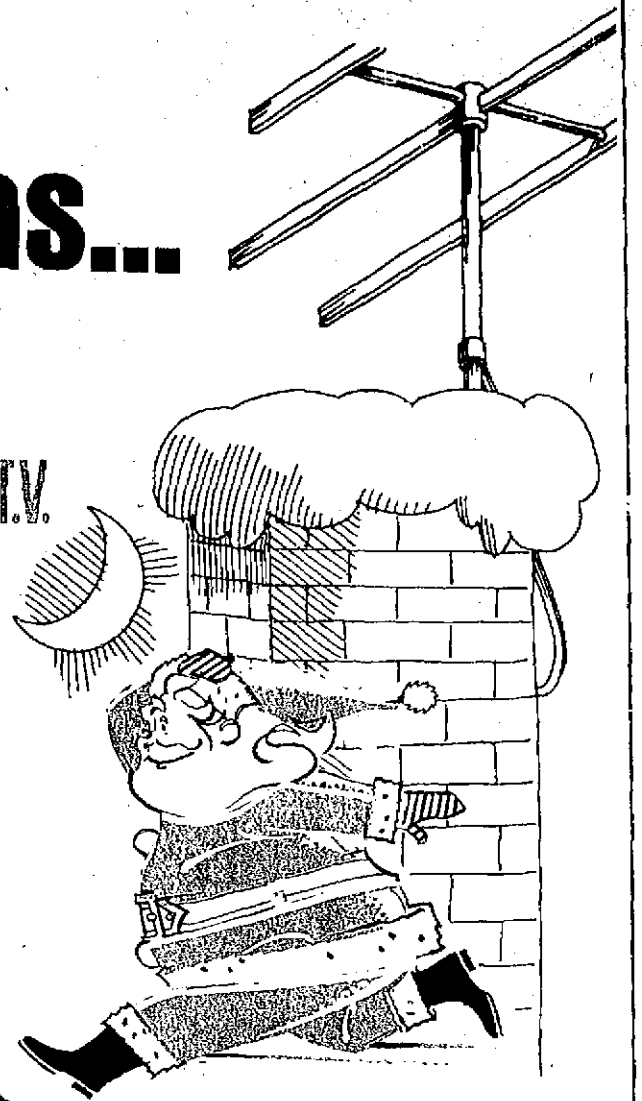


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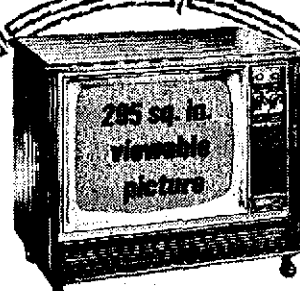
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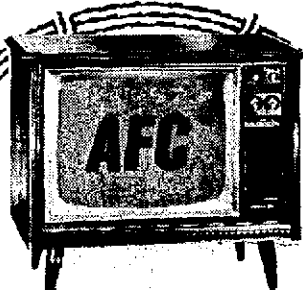
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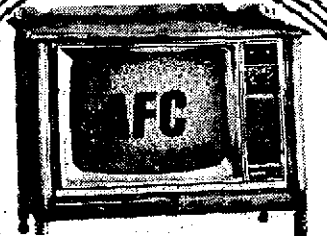
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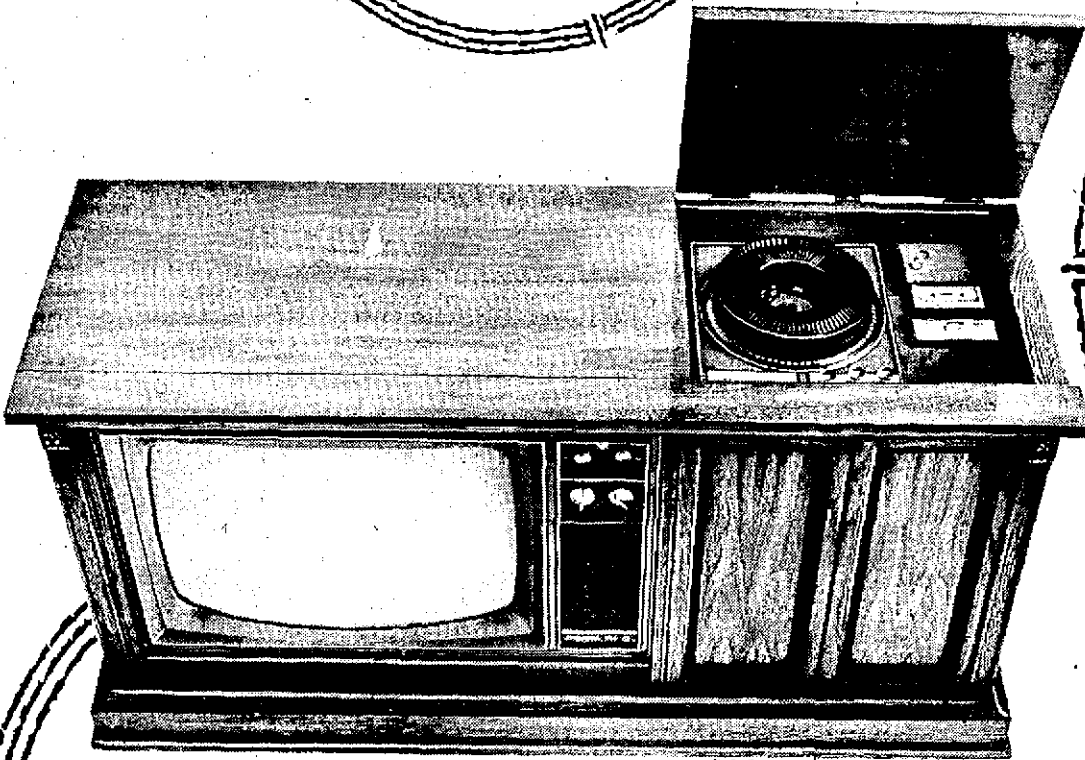


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Operation Tekite 1—sponsored jointly by the Navy, the U.S. Department of Interior, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), and the General Electric Co.—formally starts, weather permitting, on Feb. 15 about 50 feet below the surface of Great Lameshur Bay, off St. John Island in the Virgin Islands.

Basically, the project is designed to learn how man behaves in the isolation of an alien environment under stress, and to perform extensive marine exploration of the ocean's shallow regions.

NASA spokesmen said the data obtained will be useful.

Intercepted

U.S. Air Force Aerospace Defense Command personnel are constantly on duty to defend this country against enemy attack. Can you imagine the surprise of the ADC pilots who were scrambled to intercept an "unknown" aircraft penetrating from the north, when it turned out to be jolly old Santa Claus en route from the North Pole?

To fill basket

STROUDSBURG — Hostess at the meeting of the Women of the Moose tonight at 7:30 at the Moose Home will be Senior Regent, Elizabeth Gower. Members are asked to bring canned goods for a Christmas basket.

Rather fight than switch

Those Spaniards love their capes

MADRID (AP) — Three thousand irate Spaniards stormed the ancient streets of Madrid leading to Plaza Mayor one day, shedding government blood as they ran, all in the name of high fashion.

They were fighting mad because King Carlos III had banned the long black capes and slouch hats his 18th century subjects wore. For his part, King Carlos was angry because the rest of the world called his cape-wearing countrymen villainous.

Sword-bearing devotees of the cape rose in rebellion and forced a royal retraction at the cost of one death and many punctured policemen.

If nothing else, it proved

Spaniards take dress seriously and lends today some substance to Spain's formal entry into the world race for the millions spent on high fashion.

Spain has launched its assault with a variable amount of government money and a small group of middle-aged designers mostly little known to world buyers. Experts figure it's going to take up to five or more years to dent the defenses of Paris and Rome.

In historic Spain, where everything has happened at least once, there was a time when it exported style as well as the siesta, when the dons were fashion arbiters to whom Western royalty turned for guidance.

Now, after 200 years or so,

Spain has gone to miniskirts instead of Flouncy flamenco dress and aims to be a conquistador as a couturier.

"Spain begins with several handicaps," said bouncy Eusebio Marbel, a retired designer who manages his young nephew, Marbel Jr., at 23 young of Spain's current designers. "Spain doesn't have enough good designers to take a top place in the fashion world. It must subsidize and develop good young designers."

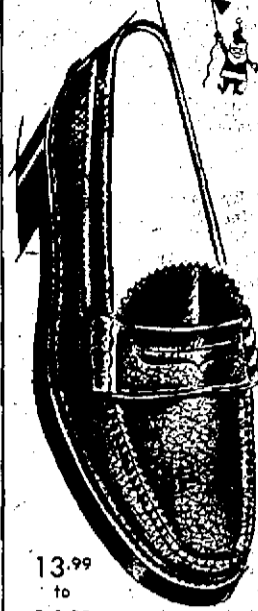
Marcos Chacon, president of the government textile union, saw another international difficulty for Spanish designers. "You know, the Spanish designer has been designing for Spanish women, who are short and

fat. He will have to begin designing for a different type figure."

Countess Isabel Vacani of Madrid, who isn't short and fat, spends part of her time touting a group of Spanish designers and part of her time promoting herself as a personality. The young countess model is miniskirt deep in plans for exporting to the middle-class market in the United States.

"The textile industry must measure up. Right now the top people have to design their own cloth and import it from Italy or England," she said. "And another thing, if we want to get into the middle-class market, we're going to have to have quality control."

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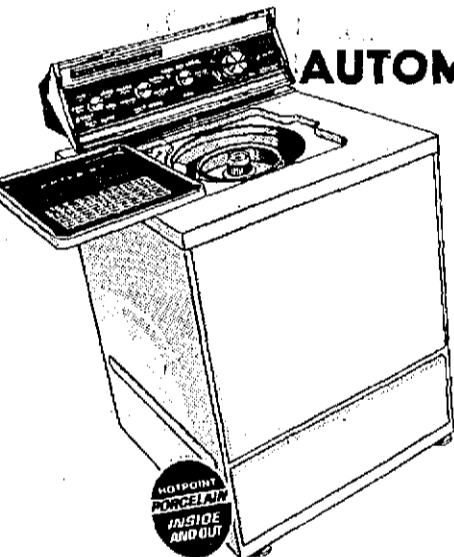
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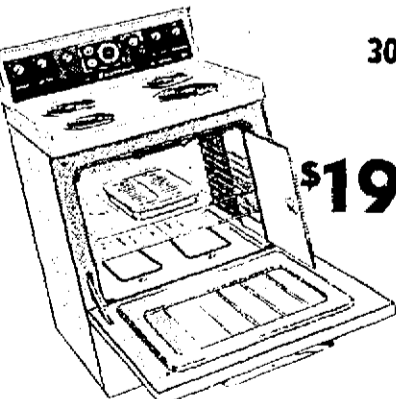
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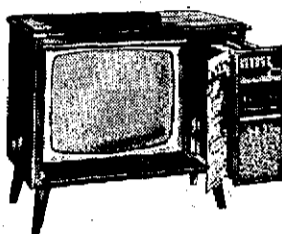
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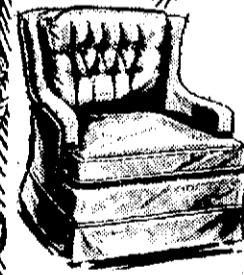
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State Department reform not new, implementation is

(Editor's Note: A group of reformers known as the Young Turks are making an effort to change what they consider decrepit and nationally damaging systems within the U.S. State Department. Their goals and their progress are the subject of a five-part series prepared for The Pocono Record by David B. Ottaway, a staff member of the Record's Washington Bureau.)

PART THREE

By DAVID B. OTTAWAY
Record Washington Bureau

Talk of reform is nothing new at the State Department. In fact, since 1946, reforms of the Foreign Service have been proposed on the average of once every two years.

The record shows, however, that these proposals have either been talked to death, left in limbo, or thwarted in their application.

In their own 195-page report, published in October and entitled "Toward a Modern Diplomacy," the Young Turks lay much of the blame for the present state of affairs on the Foreign Service itself.

It was the old-line diplomats ("Horse Cavalry Colonels"), with their clubby and elitist airs, who were largely responsible for keeping all outsiders from joining the Foreign Service as new

agencies mushroomed in the post-World War Two era. The result, the report concluded, was a "galaxy of war-spawned agencies" each with its own personnel system.

Worse still was the fact that most of these agencies were not only outside the Foreign Service, but outside the State Department as well—the Economic Cooperation Administration (Marshall Plan), USIA, Foreign Agriculture Service, Bureau of International Commerce.

The most serious consequence was that power and decision making in the field of foreign affairs became a many-splintered thing with inter-agency rivalries rampant.

The irony of the situation is that the Foreign Service Act of 1946, which created the Foreign Service in the first place, explicitly provided for the integration of "outsiders" through a system of so-called "lateral entry" and a special category of "Foreign Reserve Officers."

The Young Turks feel that the Act was, still is, the ideal instrument for creating a unified Foreign Service.

The first notable effort to open the exclusive Foreign Service to outsiders came in 1954. Dr. Henry M. Wriston, then president of Brown University, headed a blue-

ribbon commission that recommended the integration of embassy administrative personnel and some State Department civil servants.

The result was that the Foreign Service tripled in size almost overnight to 3,000. But many of the so-called "wristonized" officers could not compete with the career professionals and were forced out of the Service.

Still, the reformers believe it was a step in the right direction.

The next big reform effort came in 1962, when former Secretary of State Christian Herter led a new blue-ribbon commission in a study of the State Department's organization and the personnel systems of the various foreign affairs agencies.

The 160-page Herter report concluded the State Department badly needed a new third-ranking man, an "Executive Under Secretary," to coordinate the galaxy of agencies working abroad. It also proposed separate but "substantially" uniform personnel systems for the State Department, USIA, and AID as a first step toward a unified Foreign Service.

Report read, forgotten

The report was read politely and set aside to gather dust.

Again in 1966, Rep. Wayne Hays, chairman of the

Subcommittee on State Department Organization, offered a bill that would have integrated State Department, USIA, and AID officers into a single structure.

The bill, bitterly opposed by old-line diplomats, died quietly in committee.

"It was a good bill," said Ambassador Foy D. Kohler, former Deputy Under Secretary of State, "but it had the defect of not being sold to the Foreign Service."

Another bill was finally passed last summer creating a Foreign Service Information Officer Corps. Although it set up a separate corps, it at least gave USIA officers permanent career status, something AID personnel still do not have.

As the maze of conflicting bureaus, agencies, and departments has grown, increasingly more uncontrollable, various Presidents have acted to gather the reins of command in one hand.

President Eisenhower in 1960, and President Kennedy in 1961, issued "letters" indicating their desire to see each Ambassador exercise full power of coordination and direction over all programs in his country.

Then in March 1966, President Johnson issued an order, known as National Security Agency Memorandum 341, giving the Secretary of State explicit responsibility for the "over all direction, coordination, and supervision" of all policies and programs abroad. Only the military was exempted from the provisions of NSAM 341.

Landmark decision

Since the Secretary had never been given this power, NSAM 341 stands as something of a landmark decision.

Dean Rusk stated dramatically and with great finality, "there can be no room for parochial viewpoints or petty bureaucratic infighting."

"Our job," he explained to State Department personnel, "requires the exercise of exceptional qualities of leadership and demands that officers working on country and regional matters apply an overview of wisdom and judgment that transcends bureau or departmental interests and focuses on the needs and purposes of the United States Government as a whole."

To give teeth to the decree a new mechanism was set up called the Senior

Interdepartmental Group (SIG) to assist the Secretary of State in interdepartmental affairs. The SIG is composed of the Deputy Secretary of Defense, the Administrator of AID, the Director of USIA, and the special assistant to the President for National Security Affairs.

The chairman of this august body is the Under Secretary of State.

On paper, the SIG system looked like the perfect mechanism to mesh together the various wheels of the foreign affairs machine. In practice, it was a dismal failure.

The Young Turks don't mince their words. They blame the failure on a "crisis of leadership."

"It hasn't worked because the leadership of the Department didn't make it work," Lannon Walker argues in an article appearing in the January issue of Foreign Affairs.

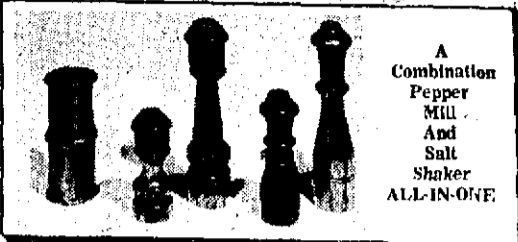
"The Under Secretary simply doesn't have the time to do the hard-nosed managerial work that would be required to make the SIG system work."

Next — Specifics of reform urged by the Young Turks.

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MH/MR appoints counselor

STROUDSBURG — William R. Mason has been hired as an Information and Referral Counselor in the Carbon County office of the Carbon-Monroe-Pike Mental Health-Mental Retardation program.

The office is located in the Navigation Building, Jim Thorpe.

The office is an extension of the main office in Stroudsburg which serves Monroe and Pike counties and is currently administered by Thomas E. Foley.

The Jim Thorpe office will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily, Monday through Friday, beginning Jan. 2.

The MH-MR office will provide information and assistance to people in need of mental health and mental retardation services.

Psychiatric services will be available through the Mental Health Center located in Monroe County General Hospital, East Stroudsburg, which provides inpatient, partial hospitalization, outpatient, emergency, consultation and education services.

Outpatient services will be available in the Jim Thorpe office by appointment.

The public is encouraged to make use of the services provided through the counties' program, Foley said. Services are available to all people of all ages and no individual will be refused help because of inability to pay.

Mason graduated from LaSalle College, Philadelphia and did additional graduate work at Boston College Newton, Mass.

He was a caseworker for the Carbon County Child Welfare Services for seven years.

Six youths to study abroad

SCRANTON — Six high school students from Monroe County school districts are among the 48 students named for assignment to some 30 foreign countries after having been selected for Rotary International Student Exchange program for 1969-70.

Myron Wyckoff, chairman of the selection committee for Scranton Rotary said the students will go to Europe, South America, Africa, Asia and India. Students are given preference in their choice but will not necessarily be assigned to their country of choice. Area students include:

Wendy Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Wells, Stroudsburg R.D. 5. Miss Wells is a senior at Stroudsburg High School and a student of German. Her choice was India and Greece.

Virginia Danfelt, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Danfelt, East Stroudsburg. Miss Danfelt is a senior at East Stroudsburg High School and a student of French. She is interested in Sweden, New Zealand or Brazil as her choice.

Laura Kessler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Kessler, East Stroudsburg. Miss Kessler is a senior at East Stroudsburg High School and a student of German, Spanish, French and Latin with interests in France, Germany or India as her choice.

Celeste Villa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Villa of Mountainhome. Miss Villa is a junior at Pocono Mountain High School with interest in Sweden or England as her choice.

Also selected were Mary Poulin of Tobyhanna and Jeanne Gibbons of Cresco.

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Huks turn terror to racketeering

MANILA (AP) — A wave of terror killings against public officials has raised a specter of the Huk, legendary Communist-led rebels who nearly toppled the Philippine government 20 years ago.

Today's so-called Huk are similarly bold and tough, but many project an image sharply different from their Marxist-chanting namesakes.

They still roam central Luzon — rice bowl of the Philippines' main island—but commonly appear now as Mafia-style gangsters associated with honky-tonk bars and racketeering.

Yet several veteran observers insist today's Huk Communists are simply trickier and more subtle—more lethal than ever in the long run.

Filipinos confess confusion about who are today's Huk and what they represent. A favorite question is: "How do you tell a Huk from a crook?"

The situation in central Luzon, President Ferdinand E. Marcos says, is "a social volcano."

Marcos contends "very few" Communist ideologues are involved—that most of the troublemakers are hoodlums who trade on the Robin Hood legacy of the original Huk.

A contrary view expressed by some military and political fig-

ures is that Huk are the heart of a strong Communist apparatus. The Senate minority leader, Ambrosio Padilla, says the Communists are the most dangerous threat to this country.

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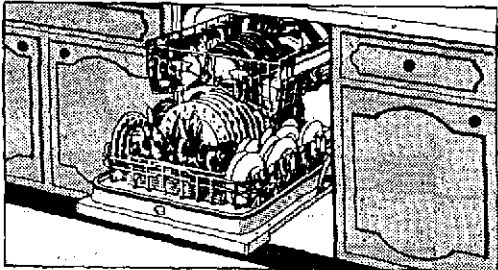
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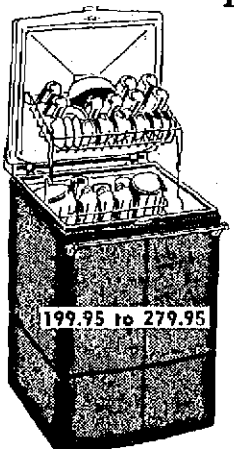
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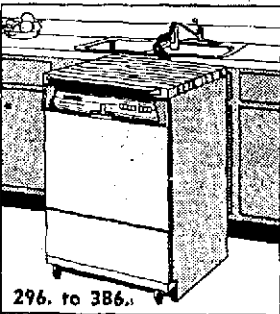
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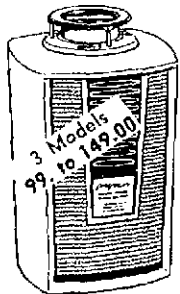
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NEW YORK (AP) — Scientific investigation inevitably involves difficulties and puzzling factors. So does religious inquiry. Consequently, says nuclear physicist Dr. John A. McIntyre, "a scientific training is helpful in understanding and accepting the gospel."

This conclusion is just the reverse of a widely bruited assumption that modern scientific knowledge has tended to undercut religious concepts of life.

Rejecting that notion, McIntyre terms it simply a "contemporary excuse" for non-belief, adding that "the real reason is still the same as it has always been—that men don't want to submit their own wills to a greater will."

McIntyre, physics professor

and associate director for research at the Cyclotron Institute at Texas A.M. University, says that rather than discrediting religion, the scientific approach actually lends credibility to it.

Desiring the particular appeal of faith to a scientist in a recent issue of Christianity Today, McIntyre, 48, says he first realized the gospel's validity as a practicing physicist about 10 years ago.

"It appealed to me in the same way that physics had first appealed to me," he said, adding that the scientific discipline "had given me a viewpoint and a manner of thinking that made acceptance of the gospel particularly easy."

In a study group on the Bible,

he says, its claims were candidly and carefully examined, comparing different parts, cross-checking items "just as the scientist does in the laboratory," probing the difficulties as avenues for further insight.

What really gripped him, he says, was what he calls the "tremendous theory" of existence propounded in Scripture, encompassing both history and "our own lives, our own thoughts," explaining man's potentialities, his unavoidable tragic failings, and the ultimate way out of them.

"It was the attractiveness of this very comprehensive and beautiful theory, plus the fact that everywhere that I could test it in my own experience it rang true."

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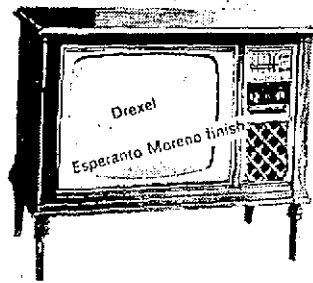
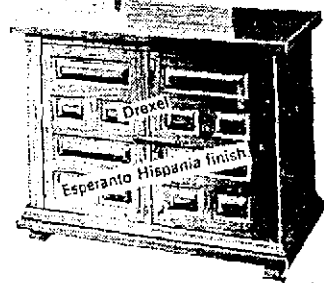
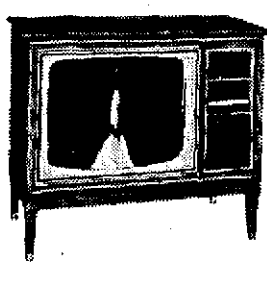
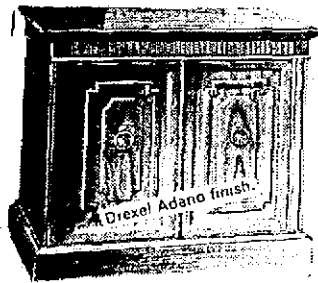
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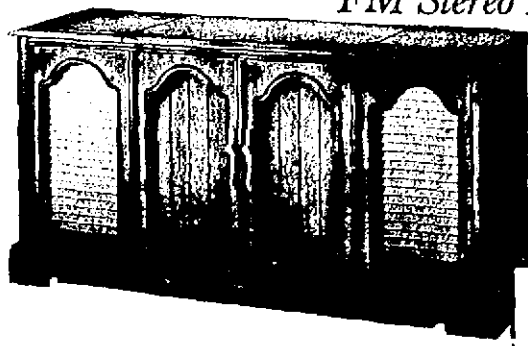
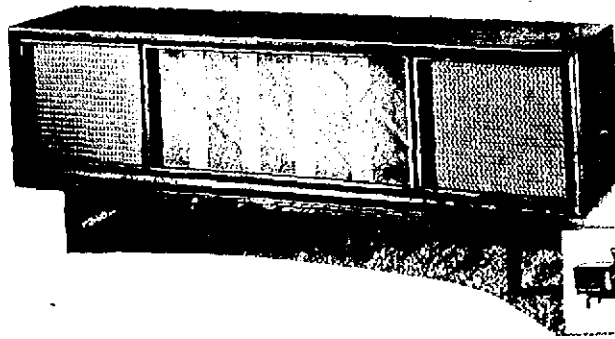
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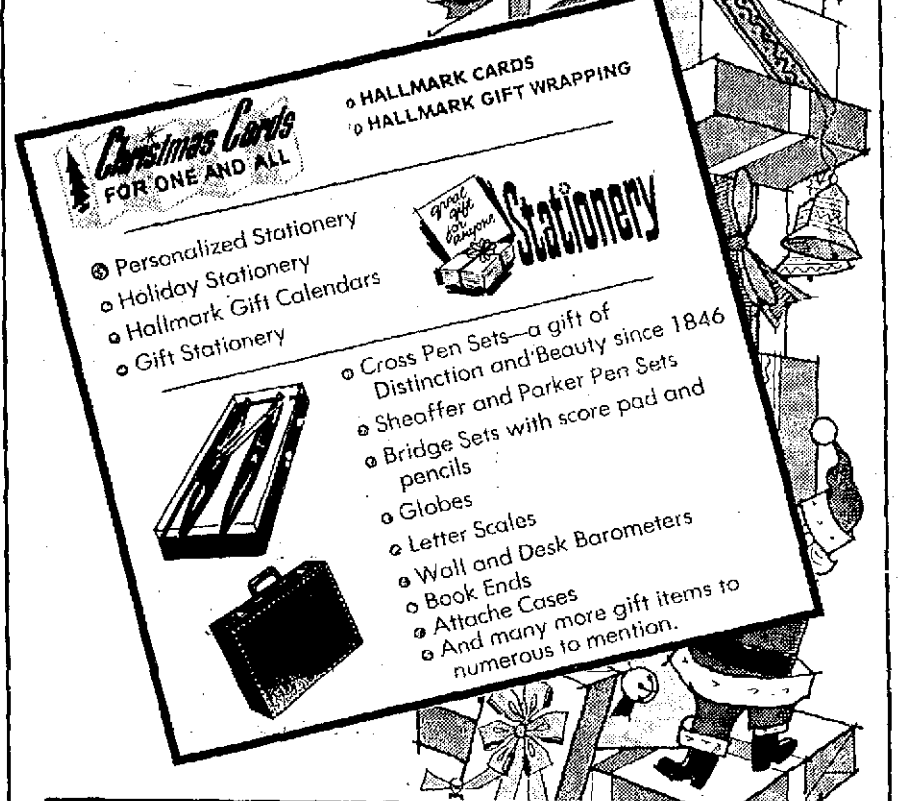
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Catholic dissent continues

NEW YORK (AP) — New strains, including questions about the physical virginity of Jesus' mother, Mary, are troubling the Roman Catholic Church, as for months with rising unrest and contention.

More criticism also turned up in the Church of the doctrine of papal infallibility.

Many of the conflicts stemmed from efforts to curb varying viewpoints, and pressures seemed to be mounting to check certain reform tendencies and tone down theological ideas in some cases.

An indication of this came this week in a Vatican commission's order for revisions to reinforce traditional interpretations in a modernized, widely popular exposition of the faith for children drawn up by Dutch scholars.

It was published in this country last year as "The New Catechism." Among other things, it bypasses the issue of Mary's biological virginity, saying gospel accounts mean that Jesus' birth was a unique "gift of God to mankind."

Other moves to restrain some current activities and views were evident in papal admonitions against various experimental and inter-Church worship and in Vatican investigations under way.

The measures, including the reaffirmed ban against contraception, have aroused continuing controversy, much of it focusing on the way authority operates—or should operate—in the Church.

The Rev. John L. McKenzie of Notre Dame University, an influential Jesuit biblical scholar, said the Church is suffering from an "infallibility syndrome" which seeks to "attach divine attributes to the teaching authority."

This stems from "the compulsion to impose doctrine upon the faithful, to control thinking and expression," he writes in the current issue of the *Critic*, published in Chicago.

He says he sees papal infallibility as applicable only when the Pope speaks "what the Church believes, not what he believes."

Majority of San Francisco students want to study

Serious college riots turn into battle of statistics

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — "We are at war!" That shout by a Negro graduate student at a rally urged student strikers to push on with demonstrations and rock-throwing that have tormented San Francisco State College the past five weeks.

Despite police—some on horseback—a change in presidents and a partial granting of demands, the strike wears on, ebbing and surging again.

Gov. Ronald Reagan, college trustees and acting President S. I. Hayakawa pledge to keep the campus open. And strike leaders pledge to fight, seeking a broad range of demands centering on more aid and more power.

Hymn poll

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although many modern hymnbooks now omit "The Old Rugged Cross," it's still the favorite among Seventh Day Adventists.

or for racial minority group students.

Through it all, most of the college's 18,000 students try to continue studies. To avoid the strike uproar, some professors are meeting students in churches and even in their homes.

A Black Students Union leader, Bridges Randall, sounded the keynote at a rally: "It's necessary to build our forces on the campus and off the campus."

The BSU, with a list of 16 demands, claims membership of all 836 Negroes on the campus. There is some question of this.

If all the 12 groups supporting the strike had their claimed membership, the striking body would number close to 3,000.

Editors of the "Phoenix," journalism department newspaper, estimate the total students actively supporting the strike—but not necessarily with violence—at 1,000.

Some observers and college

officials estimate the active student strikers at 300 or fewer.

Roadside wrecks to be tagged

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) — A passing motorist sees a wrecked vehicle but doesn't stop to investigate on the assumption the accident has been investigated.

But occasionally the assumption is incorrect and results in injured persons not receiving prompt medical attention, says the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

To meet this situation, the patrol has announced it will use red flags to identify stalled, abandoned or wrecked vehicles that have been investigated by its officers. Thus, a passing motorist will be able to tell by looking for the red flag if the wreckage has been visited by a patrolman.

augmented by casual participants and curiosity-seekers.

In addition to the Black Students Union, the groups which support the strike are the Associated Students Senate, the Social Welfare Graduate Students, the Students for a Democratic Society, the Progressive Labor party, the Volunteer Tutorial Program, the Community Services Institute, the Experimental College, and the four organizations comprising the Third World Liberation Front—Inter-

collegiate Chinese for Social Action, Filipino-American College Endeavor, Mexican-American Student Coalition and Latin American Student Organization.

Since Hayakawa's appointment and his reopening of the campus Dec. 2, each new move to quell the strike has resulted in new troubles.

Almost daily sieges of rock-throwing, property damage and assaults, as well as new pledges of war from strike leaders, followed Hayakawa's announce-

ment Dec. 6 that he would try to meet some of the strikers' demands.

Backed by the city government, Hayakawa has repeatedly called for police to protect the college. As many as 600 at a time have responded. There have been about 80 arrests.

Some faculty members say attendance is far below normal, particularly in the humanities. Others report it 90 to 100 per cent in business administration.

Why has the strike unsettled

this campus for so much longer than violence or threats have disrupted other colleges?

"The thing that's most obvious to me is the tremendous ability to articulate their demands and the clarity of thinking about what they want," said Edmond Amidon, visiting lecturer from Temple University.

The crowded nine-acre campus has been upset for more than a year. There have been demonstrations over the draft and racial issues.



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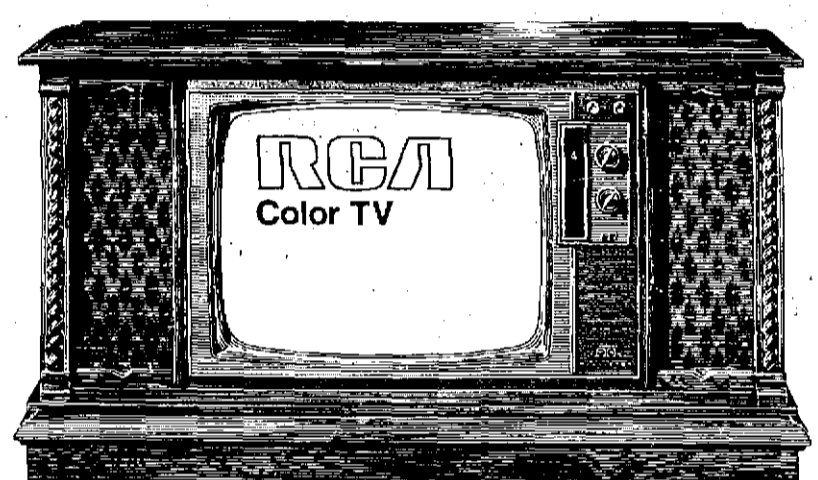
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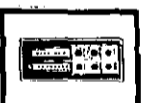


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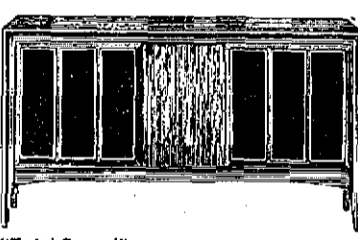
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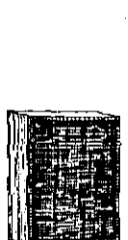


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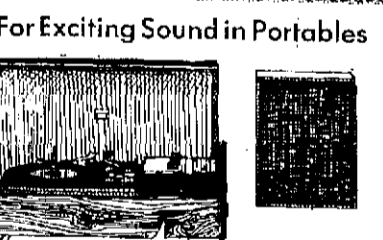
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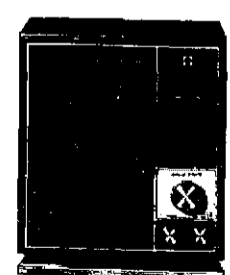
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Last week that "awful pest" left for Vietnam. I never realized how much he meant to me until I had to say goodbye to him. All the petty squabbles suddenly seemed terribly unimportant. I felt ashamed of having been so impatient and stupid. I realize now he was a normal kid who enjoyed attention and loved mischief.

Please, Ann, tell all the older sisters who are now suffering with pesty kid brothers that before they know it those little bratty brothers will be grown up and they'll wish they could live those days over again.

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Dear Sis: You told them — and in a way I never could. Thank you dear.

Dear Ann Landers: Last month our beloved uncle died. He was laid out in the living room of his home, in front of the picture windows.

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bothers to keep it up and it makes me sick to think of our loving kin out there in all those weeds and brambles.

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Dear Family: I trust you gave your dear uncle the proper care and attention when he was alive. That's the only kind a person benefits from.

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Dear Ann: You're going to decide this. I'm sick of opinions from relatives who don't know their elbows from third base.

I went with Pete for two years. We were officially engaged for 11 months. He suddenly called off the whole thing, saying he wasn't ready to get married.

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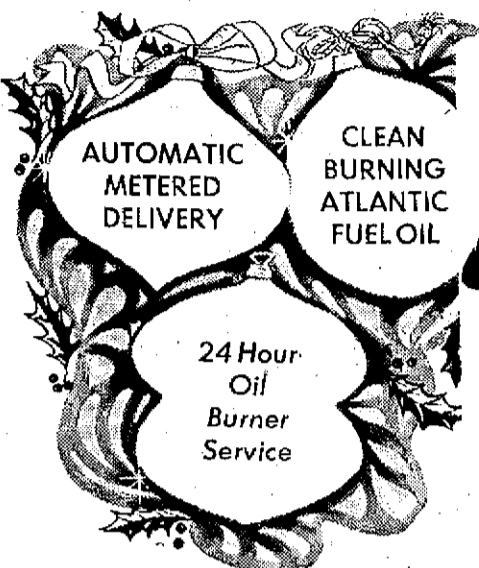
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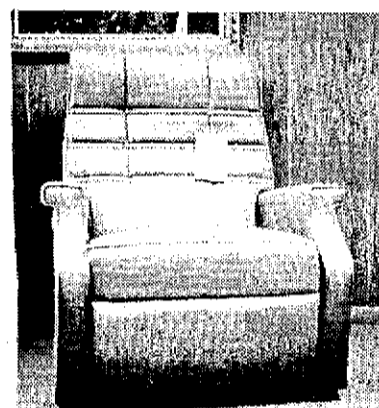
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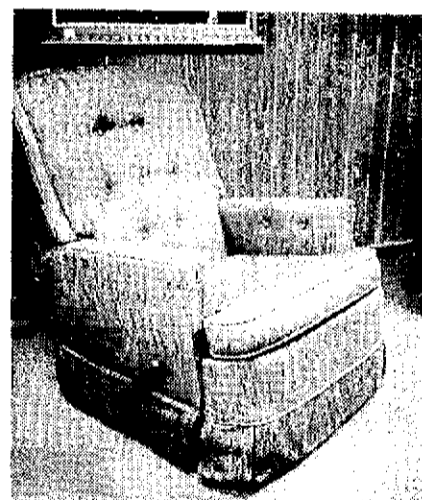
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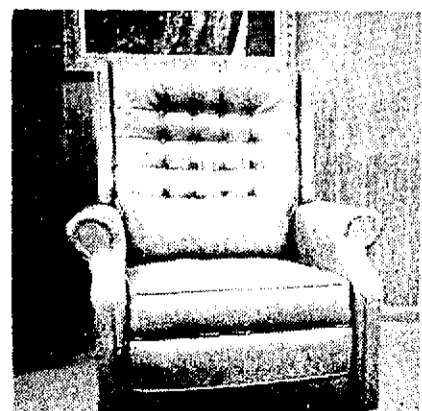


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Dick Nixon will give special attention to cash-credit to get lots of new farmers back to the soil . . . Aretha Franklin's such a Ray Charles fan, she flew back to New York and the Copa, busted gam and all . . . The upsidetown world of Las Vegas: now there's an all-night fur salon in Caesar's Palace.

Big romance: Trini Lopez and Kaye Stevens — even take acting lessons together . . . The Waldorf's Peacock Alley will feature nine young people's choirs on different Yule dates . . . Most touching Christmas music we remember was in our early New York newspapering days when the New York Central's Redcap Choir gave Christmas concerts in Grand Central Terminal as hordes of folks were leaving for their hinterland homes . . . One Christmas Eve we saw a friend off to his home and family and stayed there bawling quietly while the Redcaps sang because we didn't have a home . . . Such tiny memories certainly make appreciation now of a home and family so much sweeter.

Salvador Dali holed up in Paris' Hotel Meurice refusing to poke one moustache-hair outdoors until his new winter wardrobe arrived. Dali's sartorial tint this season — amethyst . . . Jackie "Kid" Berg, a legendary lightweight champ (circa '32) plays a Nazi

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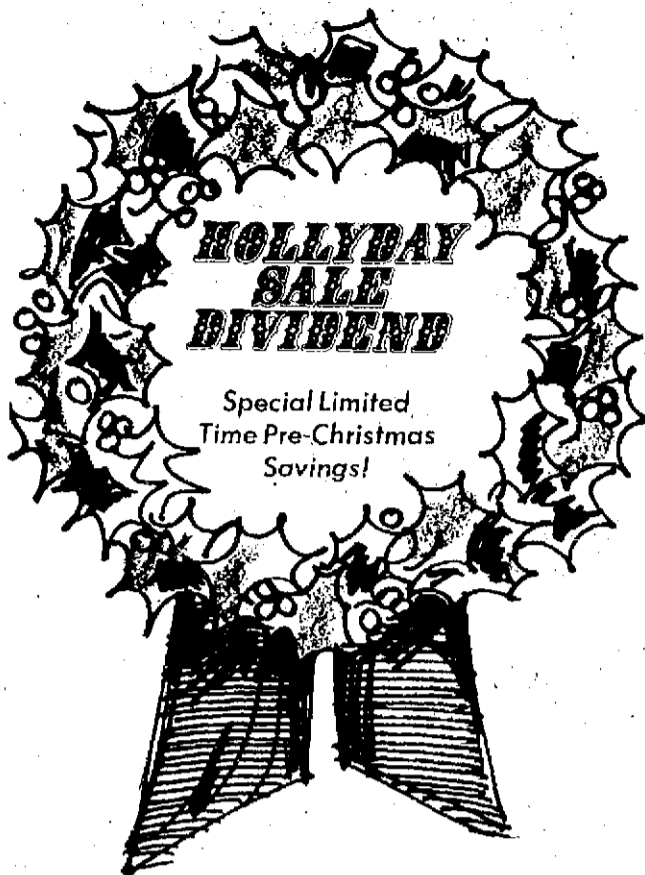
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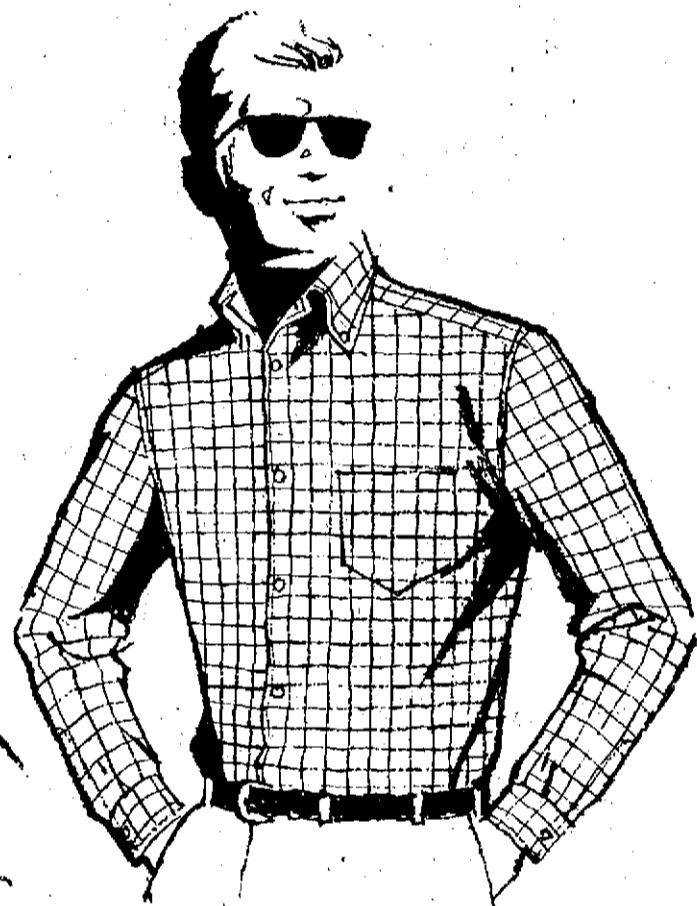
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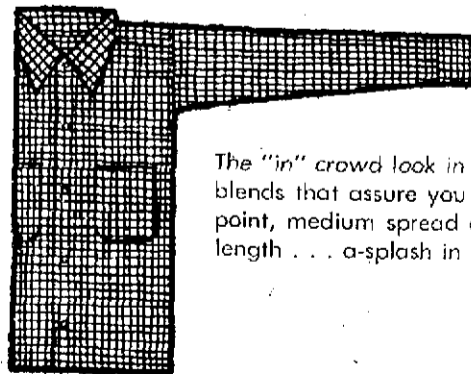


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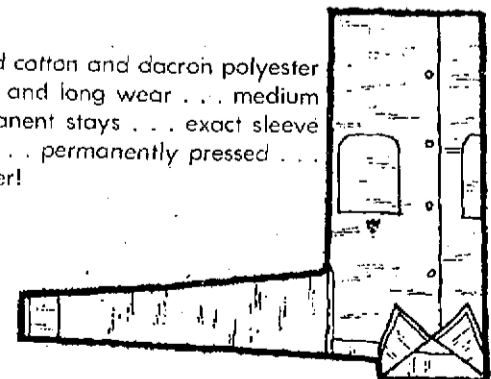


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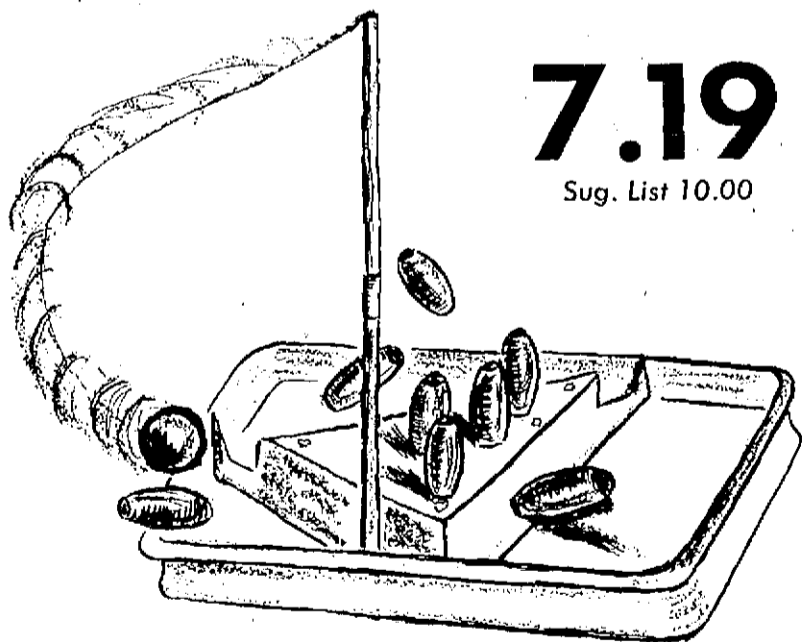
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